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Grumbling Marks Long "Hike."

Many Soldiers Said to Have Deserted the Thirteenth Cavalry.

Officers of the First Squadron Become Divided Into Factions.

Maj. Lewis Is Criticised for Forcing Men to Rise at Four O'clock.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The first squadron of the Thirteenth United States Cavalry today completed a 760-mile practice march characterized by trouble and dissension. Reporters, who accompanied the squadron on its final stage from Pallatin, Ill., to Fort Sheridan, uncovered the remarkable fact that since the troops left Fort Riley on their long "hike" on July 27, strife and chaos have predominated in the command.

Men have deserted in twos and threes and officers of the squadron are split up into factions.

Lieut. J. W. Wilen, commander of troop C, deserted the officers' mess owing to trouble with brother officers and during the last two weeks of the march, "sulked" in his tent and ate his meals alone.

Another officer, Capt. R. T. Williams, senior captain of the command, freely criticised the manner in which the march was conducted, and troopers by the score were found who heartily execrated the officers and said it is a miracle that every man in the command did not desert.

Throughout the march, the command was awakened by bosts and sadd... at 4 o'clock in the morning. This early hour rule, enforced by Major Lewis, is said to have caused the officers some dissatisfaction and it was upon this that Captain Williams based his criticism of his superior officer.

"Never in my life," said the captain, "have I heard of a squadron on a forced march being aroused at 4 a.m. It is an absolutely ridiculous proposition and even in Cuba, when we were fighting, we never got up before 6 o'clock."

The statement of the captain was made in the presence of several officers, and none of them spoke up in the major's defense.

OLDEST MASON CELEBRATES.

MT. SUNAPEE (N. Y.) Sept. 6.—James Bellows McGregor, said to be the oldest Mason in the world, completed his one hundred and sixth year with a public reception today. He was born in 1801, a mile from where he now lives. His joining of the Masons in 1827 makes him a member of eighty years' standing.

WANTS HIGH-CLASS HELP.

BONAPARTE TIRES OF "LEGAL MEDIOCRES."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte has decided that if he is to remain at the head of the Department of Justice, to carry on an aggressive war against corporations like the Standard Oil Company, the American Tobacco Company and others capable of enlisting the best legal talent in the country, he will have to get rid of some of the dead timber in his department.

The Attorney-General would like to see the department reorganized so that there would be more high-class lawyers with modern ideas, fresh from actual practice, and fewer "legal mediocres." He would like to see the Attorney-General recognized as the actual, as well as the nominal, head of the law department of the government, to whom every subordinate would be accountable, and from whom he would take orders.

The "special attorneys," with roving commissions, all ignoring the Attorney-General and playing directly to the President and seeking to win Presidential and popular favor by corporation baiting, is not conducive to the best results, according to Mr. Bonaparte's idea.

Unless the Attorney-General is allowed to run his department and concentrate the energies of the prosecution officers, he will probably verify one of the Cabinet resignation rumors.

CONFERENCE IS RENEWED.

Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte and Rev. Morrison Closeted Together in Boston.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Sept. 6.—Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte left today for Mount Desert, Me., after a brief conference with former Asst. Atty.-Gen. Morrison at the Hotel Somerset.

Neither the Attorney-General nor Morrison would reveal the subject discussed. Mr. Morrison gathered the evidence in the case against the Standard Oil Company which was tried in Chicago and which resulted in the imposition of $29,000,000 fine.

It is understood that the conference renewed that of last night which Mr. Morrison and Mr. Bonaparte had over the telephone in relation to the reported promises of immunity of the Chicago and Alton Railroad in relation to the Standard Oil Company cases.

SPECULATION AS TO ALTON'S INTENTIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the event that the Alton Railroad is granted immunity in the Standard Oil rebate cases, and the higher courts order a retrial of the Standard Oil cases before Judge Landis, will the Alton road keep faith with the government to the extent of furnishing any evidence it may possess and which may be needed in any new questions that might come up in a new trial?

This is said to be only one of the pointers put up to the department of justice by government officials in Chicago, who already feel that the Alton road has "delivered the goods" in the case already tried.

Even with this question before it, the department has ordered that immunity be given the Alton road before the higher courts have passed on the $29,240,000 fine case, and it is said to be feared that by some hook or crook the Standard Oil may eventually escape from the tolls.

Another peculiar angle which may result in the event that Judge Landis shall insist on a prosecution and that the Department of Justice holds out for immunity for Alton, is that officials in the department who had to do with the original granting of immunity, including Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Moody, and Special Counsel C. B. Morrison, may have to take the stand and offer evidence in mitigation for the punishment of the Alton road. This is believed to be the only way in which they, as individuals, can keep faith with the Alton road.

HINDU WORKINGMEN, MOBBED BY UNIONITES OF WASHINGTON STATE.

The above photograph, by Fred H. Gisto..., Spokane, represents a gang of the Hindu workingmen that excited the ire of the union rioters in Washington. This crew was employed on the Canadian Pacific Railroad. In the picture they are cremating one of their dead, in accordance with their custom. The photograph was taken last winter.

NERVY YEGGMEN.

ROBBERS BLOW UP POSTOFFICE.

DARING DEED COMMITTED AT FAIRFIELD, CT.

Trio of Criminals Hold Postmaster at Bay, Almost Wreck Building and Escape With $400—One of the Gang Seriously Injured — Armed Posse in Pursuit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FAIRFIELD (Ct.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Armed with revolvers, with which they kept at bay Postmaster E. W. Pickett, who with a shotgun tried single-handed to capture them, three yeggmen blew up the safe in the Fairfield postoffice and secured $400 after partially wrecking the building and an adjoining store, early today.

In escaping, one of the burglars was seriously injured, either by the explosion of nitro-glycerine, or by a shot from the postmaster's gun.

T... three men made good their escape, while a posse of armed citizens and an automobile load of policemen scoured the country for them.

The safe-blowers were the most daring that have ever operated in Fairfield, which is visited about twice a year by the yeggmen.

Heretofore the burglars have not been very successful, using only a small charge of explosive to wreck the safe.

This morning the charge they fired shook the town and many citizens believed there had been an earthquake. The iron door of the safe was hurled through a partition which separated the office from the store, wrecking several tables and two stoves in its flight.

Postmaster Pickett was aroused from sleep by a burglar alarm in his house shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, and grabbed up his gun and started out. He ran to the vicinity of the postoffice and, recalling a gun-fight with yeggmen in which he figured only a few months ago, took up a position in the shadow of the hose house across the street. He could barely make out the outlines of two men in the darkness and was preparing to shoot when a ball whistled past his head and imbedded itself in the door of the firehouse.

Picket opened fire, but the yeggmen retreated to one side of the postoffice.

A few seconds later there was a terrific explosion which was heard for miles around. Then the yeggs, carrying the strong box of the safe, fled, one of them limping, but his pals assisted him.

A cartridge became jammed in Postmaster Pickett's gun at this juncture, and the yeggs were enabled to escape, covering their flight with revolver volleys.

WOULD WED A NEGRESS.

Denver Bible Student Advertises for Coal Black Wife.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Believing that the human race is deteriorating physically because of failure of the races to intermarry, George T. Wells, a well-known resident of this city, has advertised for a negress for a wife.

Mr. Wells insists that his mate shall be coal-black, and with all the distinguishing characteristics of the negro race. He is very much in earnest about the matter, and hopes to gain converts to his ideas.

Mr. Wells is a close student of the Bible, and a man of the highest moral character. His proposal to wed a negress has shocked his friends, who have tried in vain to dissuade him.

TEMPERANCE TRIUMPH.

BREWERIES GIVE UP THE GHOST.

SEVEN BEER FACTORIES WILL FORSAKE KANSAS.

Admit Defeat in Court, Agree to Pay Costs and Move Out of State as Result of Long, Bitter Fight Waged Against Them by Atty.-Gen. Jackson.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Sept. 6.—Seven brewing companies this afternoon gave up the fight in Kansas, agreed to pay all the costs of the cases against them in the Supreme Court and to move out of the State.

It is understood that the seven companies must pay costs amounting to $4000 and $10,000 is to be divided equally among the three receivers of the court.

When Atty.-Gen. Jackson started his fight, there were sixteen big companies doing business in Kansas. All have given up but four.

WAR CLOUD INCREASES.

Dispute Between China and Japan Over Possession of Island Becomes Serious.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan and China are reported to be facing war and disaffected Koreans are fomenting the trouble through motives of revenge.

The number of Chinese troops is increasing daily in Kwanto, the territory in dispute between China and Japan. The Chinese commander has warned the Japanese commander that he must desist from any attempt at administration, and withdraw.

The situation is doubly critical because of the presence of a few escaped Korean soldiers, who are trying to incite the Koreans against the small force of Japanese representing the Korean government authority.

MOB OUTRAGE.

HINDUS ROBBED BY RIOTING LABORITES.

Money and Valuables Boldly Taken from Unfortunate Asiatics of Bellingham by Mobs Who Drove Them Out of Town—Mills May Close.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Not content with beating and driving from their homes the hapless Hindus who were the victims of Wednesday night's rioting by labor unionites, the mobs robbed the black men, it developed today, and plundered their homes in the boldest manner imaginable.

Some of the rioters operated among the simple-minded and terrified Asians with great boldness. According to Archie Morrison, one of the Hindus employed at his mill was relieved of $50 in gold, his pockets being rifled in his own room and in the presence of companions. Another was robbed of $25, and a third suffered the loss of a photographic outfit valued at $200.

How many were robbed, practically under the noses of the police, is impossible to say, but it is likely hundreds of dollars were taken from the persons of the orientals, aside from the reported rifling of treasure chests.

TOO FRIGHTENED TO RESIST.

No resistance was offered the thieves because of the terror they and their fellow-rioters inspired in the minds of the foreigners.

By tomorrow morning there will be very few Hindus in Bellingham. Every Hindu mill employé in the city has quit work, and nothing will persuade them to remain. They are fleeing to more congenial pastures of the North like flocks of sheep.

Even those employed at the Larson Lumber Company's plant at Lake Whatcom have deserted the slab piles, although they had not been molested. Probably the only thing that saved them was the precaution Sheriff Williams took to protect them.

Almost all last night fifteen or twenty deputies guarded the mill, and the only disturbing feature was the discharge of a revolver, presumably by a joker.

NO FURTHER TROUBLE.

In Bellingham, the regular police and the twenty-five special patrolmen had no trouble. Large crowds gathered at the Great Northern depot and on the streets of Old Town, but many of them were merely sensation-seekers.

The unionites evidently are satisfied with their work, having accomplished their purpose by driving the Hindus away. Today only three special policemen are on duty, and, if all the Hindus leave within a day or two, no further trouble is likely. All the special deputies of the Sheriff's office have been discharged.

Councilman Sells, according to Chief Thomas, refused to serve as a special policeman when called upon to do so, and the Chief said today that he intended to report the incident to Mayor Black.

MILLS EMBARRASSED.

The sudden exodus of so many Hindus will embarrass the local mills. The chief sufferers are the Bellingham Bay Lumber Company and the Morrison Mill Company. Archie Morrison says he has been compelled to close his box factory at night because of the loss of his forty-three Hindus. As he has orders enough to keep the plant busy day and night, he is in a dilemma, and has sought in vain for men in Bellingham and Seattle.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT EXPECTED TO PROTEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—While no information of an official character has reached the State Department as yet concerning the summary violent expulsion of Hindus from Bellingham, Wash., yesterday, it is confidently explained that, if the facts are as reported in the press, Ambassador Bryce will soon be heard from.

The British government takes pride above all things in protecting the lives and property of its subjects, so it is expected that as soon as the British consular officer, who is reported to be looking into the matter, has completed his investigation and communicated with the summer home of the British Embassy at Intervalen, N. H., formal complaint will be lodged with the State Department.

It is believed that the task of investigation of this matter will fall upon Oscar Klocker, the British vice-consul at Port Townsend, as being probably the nearest consular officer to the scene of the incident.

The State Department is always embarrassed in dealing with incidents of this character, owing to the fact, to which the attention of Congress has often been called, that the national government, and even the United States courts, are not clothed with the authority to enter the confines of a State, even to protect foreigners in their treaty rights.

All that the State Department can do in such a case as that at Bellingham, is to follow the well-worn precedents established in Wyoming, Louisiana, California, and elsewhere, in cases where foreigners have been mobbed or killed. That is, the Department of State, in the name of the President, may address the Governor of Washington, transmitting perhaps the complaint of the British Embassy, if there should be one, and requesting him to take steps to prevent a recurrence of the trouble.

Such appeals have generally been effective, and doubtless would be in this case, notwithstanding the racial feeling which appears to have been engendered and which always adds very much to the difficulties of the officials in adjusting matters on a proper basis.

Probably, in the end, calls for damages sustained by the individual Hindus who were beaten or driven away from lucrative employment will be preferred. If the aggrieved individuals care to do so, they may bring civil action against the municipal authorities at Bellingham in the local courts, just as the Japanese restaurant and bath-house keepers have done in San Francisco, and undoubtedly the State Department would very much prefer that this course be followed.

If, however, owing to the local antipathy on the part of white people of Bellingham to the Hindu colony, it should be found impossible to secure justice at the hands of the local judiciary, as was done in the case of the murderous attacks upon the Chinese at Rock Springs, Wyo., and upon the Italians in New Orleans some years ago, the Executive will recommend to Congress that indemnity be paid to the victims.

The British government, for its part, is likely to find itself embarrassed in dealing with the Bellingham incident because of the ever-present danger of similar attacks upon the East Indians, who are numerous in British Columbia. So that, if the case is pressed, the precedent established might be troublesome to the imperial officials where they, in turn, might be called upon to pay damages for injuries to persons and property sustained by the Hindus, who are British subjects, at the hands of British colonists.

PERSECUTED HINDUS ARE COMING HERE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Sept. 6.—Practically all of the Hindus who were driven from Bellingham have sought new locations. About forty arrived in Seattle today.

A large party left for Los Angeles and other southern cities and others sought protection in British Columbia. Advices from Bellingham state that the town does not contain a solitary Hindus at this time.

Bernard Pelly, British vice consul at Seattle, with jurisdiction over the entire State, has not yet been officially notified of hostilities toward these British subjects demonstrated at Bellingham. He stated today that he did not intend even to inquire into the affair unless formal complaint is lodged with him.

REGULATING ABUSES.

DEAF TO THREATS.

Big Stick Continues to Swing.

Taft Says Policy as to Arrogant Combinations Is Unchanged.

Government and People Are in Control, Declares the Secretary.

Principles of Administration Reiterated in Speech at Portland.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Sept. 6.—Secretary of War Taft and his party, en route to the Philippines, spent the day in Portland as the guests of Theodore B. Wilcox, president of the Oregon Development League.

This is Mr. Taft's first visit to the Pacific Northwest, and his stay in Portland today was made the occasion of several pleasant attentions to the distinguished statesman and his party, including breakfast at the home of Mr. Wilcox on their arrival here this morning, a sight-seeing tour of the city in automobiles, and a trip to the Vancouver, Wash., barracks, where Secretary Taft was the guest of Gen. Greely.

Returning to Portland, Secretary Taft was the guest of Mr. Wilcox at a luncheon at the Portland Hotel. Fifty of the most prominent professional and business men of Oregon were the guests of Mr. Wilcox on this occasion.

HOPES TO KNOW ANOTHER.

It did not require any effort to release the enthusiasm which prevailed at the lunch. Mr. Wilcox introduced as the first speaker of the afternoon Hon. George H. Williams, and there was a spontaneous burst of applause as the aged but still hearty pioneer of Oregon arose to extend a welcome to the Secretary of War.

Gen. Williams explained that he had known personally fourteen Presidents of the United States, and had known the father of Secretary Taft in a business and social way in his lifetime, and he hoped (bowing to Mr. Taft) to know fifteen. Mr. Williams said he did not propose to deliver a political speech, but, as Secretary Taft later said, "he was close thar, if he wasn't thar," and if his remarks had been made on the floor of a national convention, Mr. Taft, at least, would have been placed in nomination.

CONFIDENCE IN THE PEOPLE.

Mr. Taft appeared in unusually fine humor, and he delivered an address repleto with wit and logic. His free delivery and his ease of manner captivated his audience. Mr. Taft said that he was firmly convinced that the time had come when the country was tired of a plethora of millionaires and of their influence upon governmental and public affairs, and that it had been demonstrated and could further be shown that the business of the nation should be run on the principle of a square deal to every one and special privileges to no one, be he rich or poor. That, he said, had been the principle of the present administration, and it would be with the Republican administration to come. He expressed confidence in the ability of the people to rise up and regulate whatever abuses might exist. He said the people had done this before, and would do it again, if occasion offered.

"The government and the people are in control," he said. "They are deaf to the criticisms and machinations of powerful and arrogant combinations of capital, and they are equally deaf to the threats that are so freely uttered by powerful demagogues."

Tonight Secretary Taft, speaking under the auspices of the Oregon Development League, addressed over 5000 people at the Armory.

TALKS ABOUT THE CANAL.

Mr. Taft gave a minute résumé of the history of the attempts to build a canal across the isthmus and of the progress upon the present work since it was begun by the Roosevelt administration. He said that he thought it was safe to count upon an average excavation and disposal of material in Culebra cut next year of 19,000,000 to 12,000,000 cubic yards.

"It is by no means certain," he said, "that the time taken to make the excavation for the Culebra cut will mean the time necessary for the completion of the canal.

"There is the Gatun dam to be constructed, and there are the Gatun locks, and it is likely that the enormous structure necessary to be made for the six locks at Gatun and the enormous dam will take longer than the excavation at Culebra.

"It is quite certain that every other piece of construction to be carried on can be completed in less time, but I think it is a moderate estimate to say that the canal will be completed in seven years from the beginning of the next fiscal year.

TO BE COMPLETED IN 1915.

"That is, our canal will be completed about the 1st of July, 1915. The men actually at work number about 25,000. The number on the pay roll are a great many more. We don't get full work out of them. There are about 4000 Americans and about 4000 Europeans, and all the rest are West Indian negroes. Spaniards and Greeks are our best unskilled labor. We have no American unskilled labor.

"The efficiency of the West Indian negro is about one-third that of white labor. The coming of white labor, ap-

parently by competition, has increased the efficiency of the black men, so that on the whole the labor situation on the Isthmus is satisfactory. It does not seem necessary for us to employ either Japanese or Chinese labor. The work is expensive, of course. Labor everywhere is expensive now, and in the tropics it is doubly so. The question that I fancy the American people have most at heart is the time in which the canal can be built, and not its cost, provided that the money which is expended is not wasted, but is honestly applied to the work.

"It has added very much, I think, to the confidence that the country has in the honesty and sincerity of those by whom the work is being done that it is carried on by army engineers. The President has infused the same vim into the canal work that he does into anything of which he is in control."

GRAFT.

OBSTRUCTIONS ARE REMOVED.

JUDGE LAWLOR FORCES GRAFT CASES TO TRIAL.

Overrules Demurrers and Objections of Ten Indicted Men and Orders Trials of United Railroads Officials Set for September 12—Will Not Sit in Drum Case.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After Judge Lawlor had overruled the demurrers entered by their counsel to the various indictments found against them, the men accused of bribery in the trolley, gas and telephone briberies today, one by one, stood up and pleaded not guilty to the charges.

Patrick Calhoun, Thornwell Mullally, Tirey L. Ford and William A. Abbott of the United Railroads; E. E. Schmitz and Abe Ruef, for all the indictments; P. G. Drum, Eugene De Sabla, and John Martin of the gas company; and Louis Glass for the two remaining indictments for telephone briberies, still standing against them, in the order named, denied their guilt, objections being raised in each case to the proceedings by the various counsel on the ground that transcripts of the testimony taken by the grand jury had not been furnished them.

These objections were in every case overruled and exceptions noted.

A notable incident of the day was the announcement by Judge Lawlor that, for personal reasons, he would not preside at the trial of Drum. These personal reasons, although not explained by the court are the result of Judge Lawlor's close friendship with Drum's family.

After this announcement, the trials of the United Railroads officials were set for next Thursday, September 12, the prosecuting attorney, John O'Gara and Attorney C. W. Cobb, for the people, saying that Ford would be the first actually tried, the others to follow in turn.

Attorney Earl Rogers, for the defense, opposed the selection of Ford as the one to be tried first on the ground that the witnesses needed are distant and cannot reach the city in time for the trial. He asked that Calhoun be the first, but got no encouragement from the prosecution.

Most of the day's session was devoted to the hearing of arguments in behalf of and against the demurrers entered by counsel for the defense against the indictments found by the grand jury. An ample array of counsel appeared in their behalf, including A. A. Moore, Stanley Moore and Earl Rogers, for the United Railroads; T. C. Coogan, for Glass; F. C. Drew and C H Fairall, for Schmitz and George B. Keane for Ruef, both Schmitz and Ruef being defendants in both sets of indictments, and J. Byrne, from J. J. Barret's office for the gas officials.

The demurrers were alike for all cases, the gas men pooling their issues with those of the street railway men. Attorney A. A. Moore presented the demurrers, which are based upon the familiar grounds of the alleged insufficiency of the indictments in purely technical details. These grounds were almost identical with the old grounds upon which Henry Glass and others have already sought unsuccessfully to have their indictments quashed.

There was one new ground for demurring, however, the assertion that the indictments made several charges on one count only. Upon this point Attorney Moore waxed eloquent. He said that the indictments were invalid because they accused the defendants of both "giving and offering a bribe," contending that to give a bribe is one offense and to offer one is another, the two not to be included in one count.

Attorney Cobb answered Moore with a lengthy quotation of authorities to show that the alleged defects in the indictments were nothing of the kind and, after a brief rebuttal by Attorney Coogan, who also produced some authorities, the court made the ruling disallowing the demurrers.

"I am satisfied," said Judge Lawlor, "that the indictments charge the commission of a public offense within the meaning of the law. That the indictments can be read so as to indicate that but one crime has been committed, and that the offering of a bribe is included in the giving and receiving of a bribe."

All of the defendants demanded separate trials.

GETS $45,000 DAMAGES.

Coal Operator Must Pay for Shooting Man Who Eloped With Daughter.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

UNIONTOWN (Pa.) Sept. 6.—William S. Wirsing was awarded $45,000 damages today against James R. Smith, a wealthy coal operator.

A year ago, Wirsing eloped with Smith's daughter. Upon the return of the couple, Smith shot Wirsing in the right arm, shattering the bone and, it is said, rendering it useless for life.

Smith is now serving a five-year sentence for shooting with intent to murder.

HALSEY NOW WELL, IS READY FOR TRIAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—T. V. Halsey, agent of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, has recovered from the shock following an operation for appendicitis and tomorrow will confer with his attorneys with a view of arranging a day upon which his trial for the alleged bribing of former Supervisor Thomas Lonergan may be resumed.

This was consented to this morning by Judge Dunne, after Dr. Shumate had stated that Halsey was rapidly recovering.

The case was continued until next Friday, when it is expected that the ten jurors already impaneled will be discharged and a day set for the selection of a new jury.

RUEF'S CASE GOES TO JUDGE DUNNE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—Abraham Ruef appeared in Judge Dunne's court today to answer to the indictments for attempted bribery found against him in connection with the projected Parkside trolley franchise.

A motion to set aside these indictments having been submitted, Assistant District Attorney Hoff Cook asked to set aside the submission so that evidence of the amended minutes of Judge Graham's court could be admitted in evidence.

The motion of the prosecution was granted and the new evidence admitted. This case has been passed upon by Judge Lawlor, but Judge Dunne will give a separate opinion after he has disposed of the Halsey indictments.

ON THE BARBARY COAST.

WAR EXTENDS TO MAZAGAN.

ANOTHER TOWN IN MOROCCO REPORTED BOMBARDED.

Report Reaches Tangier That Only Few Houses in Center of Town Are Left Standing—French Troops at Casa Blanca Fall Back Before on-Rush of Moors.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Sept. 6.—The Petit Republique publishes a dispatch from Tangier, saying that the Jews there have received letters announcing that Mazagan has been bombarded and that only a few shops and houses in the center of the town are left standing.

The government announces that it was convinced that the serious conflict in which eight Frenchmen were killed near Casa Blanca occurred Tuesday, September 3, and the Vice-Admiral's cablegram of yesterday refers to the same engagement.

The several dispatches received here from Casa Blanca differ in regard to the details of the recent fighting there. Some of them emphasize the falling back of the French troops before a powerful on-rush of the Moors.

It appears that Maj. Prevost of the foreign legion was killed in the thick of the fighting which raged at Sidi, where the Moors had attacked the French column as it was returning from "Littelhl."

MINISTERIAL CRISIS POSSIBLE IN SPAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADRID, Sept. 6.—The Globe today reiterates that discord exists between King Alfonso and Premier Maura regarding Spain's Moroccan policy. The paper adds:

"Señor Maura intends to ask the King whether he has confidence in the ministry, which involves the possibility of a ministerial crisis, which would put the Liberals in power.

"If the sentiment in favor of intervention in Morocco was stronger in Spain the government would dispatch four thousand men and a number of warships to Morocco."

ATTEMPT TO STOP SPREAD OF RUMORS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TANGIER, Sept. 6.—Responding to a request of the diplomatic corps that he take steps to arrest the needless exodus of people from Tangier, caused by the prevalence of local disorders, and the circulation of false and alarming reports, the Moroccan War Minister, El Gabbas, today proposed the institution of a summary tribunal before which malefactors and persons guiltly of circulating damaging and exciting rumors could be brought. The representatives of all the powers agreed to the project.

Advices from Fez under date of September 3, say it was then believed that Sultan Abdul El Aziz intended to leave for Rabat probably September 7. The last news from Rabat said the people there were awaiting the arrival of the Sultan before proclaiming their allegiance.

SPAIN IS SENDING ADDITIONAL TROOPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN SEBASTIAN (Spain) Sept. 6.—Reinforcements of troops to the number of 700 are preparing to depart for Casa Blanca, it is reported.

SPANISH SQUADRON ORDERED TO CADIZ.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADRID, Sept. 6.—The Ministry of Marine has announced that a squadron of Spanish warships would be sent to Cadiz in order to be near Morocco and to prepare for possible eventualities.

How Tinfoil Is Made.

In the manufacture of tinfoil a pipe is made of pure tin and this is filled with lead. The whole is then beaten out in the same manner as gold leaf is beaten, the tin coating spreading with the lead core. The three sheets are sometimes reduced to a thickness of .0001 of an inch.

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PRINCE WILLIAM EN ROUTE TO OYSTER BAY.

When Prince William reached New York he went direct to Oyster Bay to call on the President, this formality having been postponed since his arrival in this country. He was caught by Photographer Charles Duprez, while on his way to the train, riding with Baron Lagercrants in an auto.

TROUBLE BREWING.

HUGHES AND JEROME INCLINED TO FIGHT.

Intimation Comes from Albany That District-Attorney of Greater New York Could Be Removed if He Fails to Take Action Against Traction.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dist.-Atty. Jerome today secured from Recorder Murphy an order for a special grand jury to sit in October, pleading that the public business" required it.

It was rumored that the grand jury would have presented to it evidence of traction trust offenses brought out by William M. Ivins, before the Public Service Commission. This was denied, however, at the District Attorney's office, but the District Attorney himself declined to be quoted.

Should the District Attorney fail to act upon the nine indictments drawn by Mr. Ivins and submitted to the Public Service Commission it is likely that Ivins or the Public Service Commission will call upon Gov. Hughes to intervene. The Governor is expressly empowered by statute to instruct the Attorney-General to go even so far as to take charge of the grand jury and proceed with the prosecution of cases on which a local prosecuting officer has failed to act.

HINT OF REMOVAL.

The Governor, by the way, has the absolute power of removal over a District Attorney.

A friend, understood to be acquainted with Jerome's official plans, denied emphatically that there was any intention to submit to it evidence involving criminal proceedings against the officials of the Ryan-Belmont traction trust.

"In the first place," the friend sought to explain, "the special grand jury was planned last winter, before the Public Service Commission was created. The District Attorney had a bill passed by the Legislature last winter, authorizing a special grand jury, whenever it was deemed necessary to expedite the disposition of cases before the courts.

"The clogging of the calendars which now prevails caused the District Attorney to make the request he did today. Neither Chairman Willcox, of the Public Service Commission, nor Mr. Ivins, has formally submitted evidence against the Interborough and the Metropolitan to the District Attorney. All the information he possesses he ha from the newspapers.

PASSES IT UP.

"Again, it is up to the Attorney-General, rather than to the District Attorney, to prosecute corporations. If it is true that the traction companies have violated the laws, the proper procedure for the Public Service Commission is to appeal to the Attorney-General to move for the abolition of their charters or institute action contemplating the appointment of receivers.

"I understand an action is pending before the Attorney-General for the dissolution of the Ryan-Belmont merger, so-called. That is the proper method of getting at the facts.

"Then the District Attorney disclaims jurisdiction, he has said.

"Well, the Attorney-General is authorized to take up such cases as Mr. Ivins cited in his address to the commission today, and he certainly is a more powerful officer than a County District Attorney."

"But Mr. Ivins charges that documents of the traction companies were criminally destroyed," was suggested.

"The District Attorney has received no evidence of this. He has heard nothing from Chairman Willcox, or his associates or Mr. Ivins on the subject," he replied. "He certainly cannot act until he does. Mr. Ivins is passing it up to the wrong official."

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Forecaster Cox was reminded today of the old Jemima rhyme when he peeped into the thermometer and saw that the temperature had fallen back across the sixty mark. "The frost will soon be on the pumpkins. Save up your money. It'll soon be time for fall overcoats and dark suits," said the forecaster. Maximum temperature for the day was 71, deg., minimum 58 deg. Middle West temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Alpena	74	90
Bismarck	78	92
Cairo	80	92
Cheyenne	74	94
Cincinnati	74	88
Cleveland	68	88
Concordia	88	90
Davenport	76	86
Denver	86	96
Des Moines	78	86
Detroit	72	86
Dodge	90	96
Dubuque	74	86
Duluth	64	86
Escanaba	68	86
Grand Rapids	74	90
Green Bay	70	88
Helena	68	90
Indianapolis	74	90
Kansas City	82	92
Marquette	68	82
Memphis	86	98
Milwaukee	78	84
Omaha	82	92
St. Louis	80	94
St. Paul	64	78
Sault Ste. Marie	70	84
Springfield, Ill.	78	86
Springfield, Mo.	78	90
Wichita	96	94

OPERATORS SUE COMPANY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charging the Postal Telegraph Company with contributory negligence in not delivering messages sent over the wires, thus causing strikes in twelve cities against the Western Union, the Commercial Telegraphers' Union refused to pay a bill of $129.39 presented by the Postal Company. Suit to recover the sum was then started by the Postal Company against the union in municipal court. The Telegraphers' Union had a monthly account with the Postal Telegraph Company, and when the strike against the Western Union was called, the national officers sent a thirty-three-word message over the Postal wires to 100 cities, advising all operators to remain at work until called out by the general executive board. Twelve of these messages were never delivered, and a strike resulted in a dozen cities against the Western Union Telegraph Company.

HELD PRISONERS IN BED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Held prisoners in their beds for more than three hours this morning, Miss Emma D. Burke, 25 years old, residing on Scott avenue, Hubbard's Woods, one mile north of Winnetka, and her sister, were compelled to remain quiet, while burglars looted the house. Terrified by the threats of the burglars, Miss Burke and her sister, who is the wife of a Detroit, Mich., publisher, lay mute in terror while her brother, Dr. H. J. Burke, lay asleep on the floor above.

HALL STILL MISSING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charging Jesse F. Hall, president of the bankrupt building, Hall Manufacturing Company, and other employés of the firm, with appropriating more than $300,000 of the company's funds to their personal use, James B. Forgan, president of the First National Bank, which is one of the principal creditors, today instructed his attorney to continue the inquiry, with criminal prosecution in view. No trace has been found of Mr. Hall.

GRAND STAND BELLE WEDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Cora O'Connor, known to St. Louis baseball fans as "The Belle of the Grand Stand," is the wife of Ralph Orthwein, whom Jack O'Connor, catcher for the Browns, named as co-respondent when he divorced her. She admitted tonight that she and Orthwein were wedded August 21, in New York. Ralph Orthwein, heir to half a million dollars, was the best "spender" about town when he met the dashing brunette wife of Jack O'Connor. Gay parties, at which Mrs. O'Connor was the life of the evening and which Orthwein attended as her escort, were indulged in. Finally there occurred a personal encounter between Orthwein and the catcher. Not long after that O'Connor sued for divorce, naming Orthwein, and obtained a decree. Orthwein's wife formerly was Miss Nova Landrum, a Kentucky girl and relative of Col. Tom Landrum, proprietor of the Planters'. She sued Orthwein for divorce and recently obtained a decree in the Lawrence county Circuit Court at Mount Vernon, Mo.

COMPROMISE.

MINE STRIKE NEARS AN END.

MEN WHO WALKED OUT ARE EXPECTED TO WALK BACK.

At Meeting to Be Held Today Goldfield Miners, It Is Thought, Will Indorse Agreement Adopted by Their Committee and General Manager of Consolidated.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Sept. 6.—It looks as though the difference between the miners and the Goldfield Consolidated Mines Company would be settled tomorrow and the men who walked out of the Mohawk Combination mines three weeks ago will probably be at work again by Monday morning.

Negotiations for a settlement were resumed early in the week, and a tentative agreement was reached by General Manager J. W. Finch of the Consolidated and a committee from the Miners' Union. The agreement has been approved by Senator Nixon and George Wingfield and a special meeting of the Miners' Union will be held tomorrow afternoon to pass upon it.

There is good reason to believe the union will ratify the agreement. The terms of the settlement are practically identical with the agreement which was rejected by the union a week ago. The company has made some concessions in regard to the change-room and other matters and the miners have withdrawn the demand that all men employed in or about the mines be under the jurisdiction of the Miners' Union.

The output of the mines and leases of the Goldfield district for the week ending last night was 1566 tons, having a total estimated value of $185,750. This is considerably below the output for the week previous, but the explanation lies in the fact that the Mohawk and Combination mines are wholly eliminated from the list of the producers.

Word reached here this afternoon that Western Federation walking delegates are at Bishop, Inyo county, Cal., the location of the power plant of the California-Nevada Company, which furnishes power to the Tonopah, Goldfield and Bullfrog districts. The Western Federation is attempting to form a local union there.

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RESIDENT'S IDEAS UPHELD.

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Would Stop Duty on Imported Lumber.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 6.—After four days of addresses and discussion, the Fourth National Irrigation Congress took up the big work of the meeting, when the report of the committee on resolutions was submitted by its chairman, ex-Gov. George C. Pardee.

With the exception of an amendment, which was made the special order for tomorrow morning, the convention gave its approval of the resolutions, which indorse the policy of President Roosevelt in relation to reclamation of arid lands, forest preservation and conservation of resources, and of the department having these great works in charge.

Secretary's Chief Executive and his policies are upheld in eleven of the resolutions.

The resolution objecting to additional ideas is one protesting against the enactment of legislation favoring Philippine sugar to the injury of the beet sugar industry in America. No objection was made as the resolutions were read, and hearty appreciation followed many of them.

Before the motion of adjournment, it was the general understanding that the report was adopted in its entirety, but that it was recorded owing to a necessary point being overlooked, as a formality was left until tomorrow morning, through the introduction of an amendment by Judge John Raker of Modoc county, Cal.

TIMBER DUTY.

Judge Raker sought to have the convention pass the proposition of removing the duty on timber coming into this country. His resolution had been referred to the committee Tuesday.

Judge Raker made a strong argument in favor of the proposition, saying that it was necessary in order that our forests might be preserved, in view of statements made by Gifford Pinchot, government forester, that at the present rate of destruction the timber supply of this country will be exhausted within twenty or thirty years.

"I see the marts to the world and the nations to send their timber," said Judge Raker. "Then we will think of preserving the forests, but not one hundred years. Let us settle this matter as an economic question."

PARDEE OPPOSES.

Governor Pardee took a stand against the proposition and said if the duty was removed timber would be cut, prices would be increased destruction would follow that the great corporations would get their dividends, as they have a monopolistic position to meet.

Governor Pardee said the ex-Governor, while not at one with the tariff, but with other duties, the railroads, the lumber trusts, the interest service and secret service give to the forest trust.

"You are just to hit at the root of the matter. Why do you not introduce a bill," asked Judge Raker, striking at the lumber trust and the railroads.

Judge Raker, interrupting, said there was a gentleman present, (John McGilvra of Minnesota) who would "bet a million there is no timber trust."

"THERE'S A TOOTHPICK.

Governor Pardee said he did not want his friend to bet a wager, but later was willing to bet a toothpick against the stock of McAlpine that there was a trust.

"I agree with Judge Raker," said Governor Pardee, "that he is trying to chase a shadow. He started after one trust, pursuing another. He is a Democrat and wants to introduce bills against protection."

The hour having arrived, and Senator Chamberlain stating that the time allowed for the Ogden Tabernacle, he suggested adjournment.

Governor Pardee moved to adopt the report of the committee as was again made, but in the face of demands for adjournment over, although many left the city, they had adopted the report.

RESOLUTIONS INDORSED.

In connection with which the following policies are indorsed, include the policies of the reclamation and forestry service; the appointment of the irrigation commission; the establishment of forestry reserves in the Southern Appalachian and White mountain regions; the reclamation act, and the leasing of the mineral fuel lands.

The recommendation that the government only charge enough for timber from forest reserves to pay for the maintenance of the forestry service.

Congress is asked to pass a law providing for the preservation of the Calaveras big trees by the exchange or otherwise, by exchange or otherwise, for other being private property.

WASHINGTON WANTS IT.

The Irrigation Congress is asked to ask that the seventeenth session of Congress held in Washington, at the same time the National Congress meets, and provides for a committee of five to promote the matter.

GOVERNOR SHORT SPEAKS.

The large attendance of delegates and visitors greeted Gov. Chamberlain when he called the morning session of the Congress to order. This was the last day of addresses, as the committees and reports of committees mark the proceedings today. The last day of the gathering.

Governor Short of Fresno, who had irrigation laws were to be discussed, had a number of papers for this morning's session. Senator F. E. Carey of Wyoming, author of the Carey Act, was not present when the session was the address of Governor Frank Short of Fresno, on "California's Irrigation Laws," which aroused much enthusiasm when he said if it was necessary to have litigation in connection with irrigation, better that such litigation exist than that there should not be enacted laws that must be enacted to prevent the corporate abuse of water and water privileges. Judge Raker, in part, as follows:

"In matters of experience and consideration of this subject, I do not believe any man can put his finger upon any important provisions of the laws of this State that has retarded the legitimate use of water for irrigation. I am not discussing here the doctrine of riparian rights. It may be admitted without discussion that if in the first instance our laws had been construed and decided allowing of the more liberal appropriation of the waters of the running streams of this State, that the use of water for irrigation would have been somewhat increased and the public welfare would have been somewhat advanced.

"Notwithstanding the application of the common law doctrine of riparian rights, the major parts of the waters of the streams of this State, at least south of the central portion of the State, have been devoted to irrigation and other beneficial uses, either upon riparian lands or where appropriation has either not been resisted by riparian owners, or there have been agreements and arrangements arrived at satisfactory to the riparian owners and the appropriators. Excepting the conflicts between riparian owners and diverters, and which conflicts were natural and unavoidable, I do not believe that the laws of this State have at all tended to produce litigation, or are at all unequal, unfair or unjust."

Judge Short invited the delegates to visit Fresno on Monday, September 9, when the annual raisin festival will open.

J. H. Brady, a canal owner and representative of Gov. Goody of Idaho, delivered words of encouragement regarding irrigation and other matters. He said that the best way of establishing canal projects was under government supervision.

L. E. Aubrey, State mineralologist, spoke on the importance of preserving the forests at the sources of water supply.

Gov. Chamberlain took occasion to praise the work of the men who made such fine arrangements for the present congress. He referrd particularly to Executive Officer W. A. Beard and George W. Peltier, Chairman of the Board of Control. Both are of Sacramento. Chairman Chamberlain also complimented Secretary D. K. Anderson and his efficient staff of assistants.

PRESIDENT INDORSED.

The report of the committee on resolutions as presented by its chairman, ex-Gov. Pardee, was adopted.

There is an indorsement of the policy of President Roosevelt and his administration in connection with the policy of reclamation, irrigation, forest preservation and conservation of resources. The departments having the big work in hand are indorsed.

There is a recommendation that the government only charge enough for timber out from forest reserves to pay for maintenance of the forestry service.

Congress is asked to pass a law providing for the preservation of the Calaveras big trees by the exchange or other timber land for them.

The irrigation congress is asked to make every effort to have the seventeenth session of the congress held in Washington, at the same time the national Congress is in session, and provides for a committee to five to promote the matter. Protection is also asked for the beet sugar industry and aid for the work of irrigation, reclamation, preservation and conservation.

The report was adopted as a whole after a spirited discussion on an amendment which Judge Raker of Modoc sought to have added. This was made a special order for tomorrow morning, to which time the convention adjourned.

Judge Raker's amendment asked for the removing of the duty on timber coming into this country.

GREETING FROM DAMASCUS.

No speaker who has addressed the congress aroused so much enthusiasm as did Hon. P. A. Behannesey of Damascus, Syria. His glowing tribute to this country and President Roosevelt brought forth tumultuous applause. Mr. Behannesey is president of the Syrian Library Association and head of the Agricultural College of his native city.

Mr. Behannesey said his people regarded California as the heaven of this world, so much have they heard in praise of its wonderful beauty and resources. He described how, upon reaching the Atlantic side in the middle of winter, he was disappointed, but that as he crossed the continent and approached nearer the west he realized that his hopes were being realized, and when finally, upon entering California, he concluded that while it was not heaven, it was nearly that.

The speaker then discoursed on the sea of Galilee and the Dead Sea. He told of the marked difference in the two bodies of water, and how, although only a few miles apart, the former sea was surrounded by a region of surpassing fertility, while there was no life in the Dead Sea and no growth about its shores. The reason he gave for the difference existing, is that the water of Galilee flow into irrigation ditches, while the dead sea has no such outlets.

The speaker, in telling of the Garden of Beauty that surrounds Damascus, said the spirit of the mountaineers resisted the power of politicians and money-kings, and took care of the small land owners by the conservation of resources and establishment of irrigation.

"This same noble spirit," said Mr. Behannesey, "has been reincarnated by the United States into its body politic. Do not let the politicians tell you that the forest preservation is not necessary; do not let them belittle the greatest literary and executive man of the greatest republic of the world when he urges his policy of preservation and development for the future benefit of the people."

This reference to President Roosevelt was enthusiastically applauded. A delegate asked where the visitor received his education, and when he replied in an American college, under the Stars and Stripes, there was another outburst of applause.

Willett M. Hays, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, delivered a very interesting address on "Country Life Education for New Sections," in which he urged the establishment of farm schools of a high order, by which technical and special education may be carried to every boy in the land.

KIBBEY'S RESOLUTION.

Another on the list of the resolutions of Gov. Kibbey of Arizona is that the congress urge on the Legislatures the principle that no man has a right to use his property in a manner inimical to the prosperity of the State or the people thereof, and consequently necessitate immediate legislation to regulate the use of privately-owned property, that wasteful and unnecessary destruction of forests and other natural products may be stopped.

There are many resolutions supporting the movements to develop the great arid regions and to assist the projects in connection with agriculture, forestry, mining and irrigation work generally.

GRATEFUL TO PEOPLE.

The committee is profuse in its thanks and compliments for the hospitality extended by the people of California, of Sacramento, and by Gov. Chamberlain, in his able management of the convention; also to W. A. Beard, George W. Peltier, and others, who are responsible for the success of the congress.

Tomorrow's session, which is to mark the close of the congress, promises lively developments. In addition to the fight over the matter of free lumber, as embodied in Judge Raker's resolution, Keisel has said he does not want it comes to the election of officers.

It was the understanding tonight that Fred J. Keisel, known as the "father of the congress," would be urged for president, against Frank C. Goudy of Denver, already named by the Committee on Permanent organization. Kiesel has said he does not want the place, but there are many urging him to accept a nomination.

Tonight the delegates have retired early to prepare for the battles of the morrow.

FOR CALIFORNIA RIVERS.

Movement Started During Excursion for Organization of Promotion Committee.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 6.—As the result of an excursion on the Sacramento River today under the auspices of the California delegation to the Irrigation Congress, a movement is under way for the organization of a California River Promotion Committee.

The object is that California may come into working contact with the rivers and harbors national congress. The organization will be completed tomorrow morning.

Gifford Pinchot, government forester, Dr. W. J. McGee of the Agricultural Department; Willett Hays, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; F. H. Newell, director of United States Reclamation Service; Congressman Hayes, Engelbright and Needham, and Engineer Grunsky were among those on the excursion, and interesting talks were made by the government officials.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

THREE MEN ARE BURIED ALIVE.

DYNAMITE BLAST WILL CAUSE DEATH OF ONE.

Premature Discharge Catches Laborers Under Cave-in of Mountainside Near Point Richmond, Cal., and Victims Lie Under Dirt Four Hours Before Rescued.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—After being buried for four hours beneath an immense cave-in on the side of a hill at Winnehaven, near Point Richmond, three workmen were dug out of their earthen prison today, in a terrible state of injury and exhaustion. Their names are E. Steel, C. Duggan and P. O'Brien.

The former was so badly crushed that he will die. Duggen and O'Brien had their legs and arms broken and were badly bruised, but will recover, though they may be crippled for life.

They were engaged in blasting away part of a hill, where the California Wine Association is to erect a winery, and failed to reach a place of safety after exploding a charge of powder.

The explosion tore away the side of the hill and buried the three men under a great mass of earth and rocks.

THOMPSON SEEDLESS SUCCEEDS.

Heretofore Unmarketed Variety of Grape Now Good Seller in the Eastern Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Among the fortunate things for the shippers of green fruit from Fresno this season is the sudden success that has come in the shipment of Thompson seedless grapes.

Heretofore practically no attempt has been made to send this variety East, there being no demand, and the carrying quality of the grape being doubtful.

This year, on account of the great demand for any kind of fresh fruit, in the East, a beginning with the Thompson's proved a remarkable success.

The grape is placed in the eastern markets in good condition and brings the grower from $200 to $300 a car higher than the Malagas.

TRAVELS FAR TO WED.

Pretty Little Swiss Girl Comes 7500 Miles to Fresno and Marries Wine Maker.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A pretty little Swiss girl, Julia Protell, barely 18 years old, has just arrived in Fresno on completing a journey of 7500 miles to be married to her lover, Peter Milia, a countryman, whom she had not seen since a little girl.

Milia is a wine maker at one of the large establishments, and as he has been doing well, he sent to his boyhood's friend to come out here to be his wife.

Julia left her home in the interior of Switzerland to make the long journey alone, and arrived here safely Tuesday evening, being met by her lover and a few of his friends. They were at once married by a justice of the peace. Both are from Switzerland.

CALL MAN ELECTROCUTED.

INVESTIGATION TO FOLLOW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

FRESNO, Sept. 6.—Carl G. Pennebacker, a call man in the local fire department, was electrocuted while fighting a fire, which broke out in the Fresno Cyclery, at No. 1215 K street early this morning. He became entangled in the power wires leading to a motor in the cyclery, and was instantly killed.

City Electrician C. T. McSharry had previously made his test and, according to Chief J. A .Ward of the department, had declared it was safe to enter the premises of the burning building.

A strict investigation is to be made of the incident. Pennebacker came here from Visalia a year ago. He was a married man, 30 years of age. His resignation had been in the hands of the authorities for some time, but had not been acted upon.

RUNAWAY STAGE UPSETS.

TEN PERSONS INJURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 6.—After a short runaway, the stage coming from Highland Springs to Pieta, overturned on a steep mountain grade yesterday, seventeen miles from here, and tumbled down a twenty-five-foot embankment.

Ten passengers were injured, seven of whom were residents of San Francisco. The more severely injured are Dr. M. W. O'Connel and the infant of L. Whiteman, the condition of both being considered serious. They are residents of San Francisco.

RAILROAD TRACKS BURIED.

Cloudburst in Nevada Wash Great Masses of Rock and Debris Down Mountain Sides.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A cloudburst between Verdi and Floriston yesterday did thousands of dollars' worth of damage and completely blocked railroad traffic.

The mountain sides south of the tracks were furrowed by the descending streams, great masses of rock and debris being washed to the lower levels and on the tracks, so that in twelve places on the right of way between Verdi and Floreston the track was buried under dirt and rock.

All the flumes in the vicinity were hopelessly ruined by the force of the boulders let loose, and the timber land is scarred and marked by the rocks and boulders where they took their precipitous flight.

The Fleischaker power plant was put out of business just as it got dark enough to turn the lights on, and it remained so for twenty-four hours.

SHEEPMEN TO ORGANIZE.

Prominent Men in Industry in California Decide to Form State Organization.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 6.—Over a score of prominent sheepmen of California met at the Chamber of Commerce here today to make preliminary arrangements for the organization of a State sheep and wool growers' association.

Judge J. F. Ellison of Red Bluff presided. Representative sheepmen from every part of the State were present and entered heartily into the proceedings.

It was settled that a committee on permanent organization shall meet on September 13 in this city, together with as many sheepmen as can attend, and take definite action.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Killed by Street Car.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—A man supposed to be J. H. Dinnie, a laborer, was run down and killed by a Folsom street car at the crossing of Folsom and Fifth streets, last night. The motorman on the car was arrested and charged with manslaughter.

Explosion Kills Four.

OAKLAND, Sept. 6.—Four men were killed yesterday in an explosion that wrecked the gelatin storehouse of the California Powder Company, a few miles from the town of Pinole. The dead are: Gus Coppen, George Wilkens, Wong Hin and Wong Gen. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Denies His Candidacy.

SEATTLE, Sept. 6.—Judge J. M. Dickinson of Chicago, president of the American Bar Association, who has been prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for President of the United States, denied today that he had any political ambitions.

Superior Judge Appointed.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 6.—Gov. Gillett today appointed John E. Richards superior judge for Santa Clara county, vice A. L. Rhodes, resigned. Richards received his commission this morning. Judge Rhodes retired voluntarily on account of old age.

School Teachers Scarce.

REDDING, Sept. 6.—Miss Lulu White, County Superintendent of Public Schools, has tried in vain to secure teachers for five country districts, and therefore the schools cannot open.

For State Free Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—The State Board of Harbor Commissioners has instructed its engineer to prepare several plans for the State free market which is to be built at the foot of Kearny street and to submit them to the board within two weeks.

Cable Cars Will Run.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—The directors of the Geary-street cable road have decided to accept the terms of the city and service probably will be resumed by Sunday. The company will pay the city 10 per cent. of the gross receipts.

CURE FOUND FOR CANCER.

Budapest Scientist Reports Successful Experiments by Injection of Gelatine.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUDAPEST, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prof. Hauer has discovered what he believes is a cure for cancer. Out of forty experimental cases, only seven failed, while ten were perfectly cured.

The method used was the injection of gelatine. High temperatures followed the initial treatments, but the pain soon ceased and patients took on weight.

The success of the experiments has caused great satisfaction in the University of Budapest.

PROSTRATED BY INDICTMENT.

Son-in-Law of Late Senator Gear in Dangerous Condition as Result of Boise Accusation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BURLINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Horace S. Rand, a son-in-law of the late Senator Gear and a millionaire lumberman, one of the wealthiest men in Burlington, was among the men indicted last April by the Federal grand jury at Boise, with Senator William E. Borah and others, for alleged timberland frauds.

The news leaked out when a warrant was served upon Mr. Rand at his home. Rand is prostrated by the indictment and is now in a dangerous condition. The service of the warrant created a sensation here and citizens as a whole are confident that Mr. Rand will be speedily acquitted.

ELEVEN KILLED IN WRECK.

Rock Island Train Strikes Cars on Siding, Resulting Seriously to Smoker Passengers.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WATERLOO (Iowa) Sept. 6.—Eleven persons were killed and seven or more injured today when a north-bound Rock Island passenger train left the rails at Norris, Iowa, and crashed into a south-bound freight train, standing on a siding.

The known dead:

C. B. CLIBER, Waterloo; traveling man.

J. B. LAMPHERE, Shellrock, Iowa; farmer.

WILLIAM SMITH, West Liberty, Iowa.

Eight unknown dead.

All of the dead and injured were in the smoking car, which was immediately behind the baggage and mail cars. The smoking car was completely demolished. The dead and injured were strewn about among the wreckage.

The north-bound express was ten minutes late at Norris, a small station three miles north of Cedar Falls, Iowa, and there the freight train was awaiting the express, which came along at a terrific speed in an effort to make up the time.

Just as the engine of the passenger was about to pass the freight engine, the trucks of the train jumped the track and the engine crashed into the engine of the freight, wrecking both engines and telescoping the baggage and mail cars and demolishing the smoking car.

The passengers in the two day coaches following the smoker escaped with only a violent shaking up.

POPE TO ISSUE ENCYCLICAL.

Anti-clerical Demonstrations Will Probably Cause His Holiness to Protest to Catholic Powers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is announced that the Pope is about to issue a new encyclical dealing with matters of importance in the religious world and with the actual position of the Holy See in consequence of the recent anti-clerical campaign.

The Pope has been sadly impressed by the hostile demonstrations against the clergy and will probably address a note of protest to the Catholic powers.

AT THE CITY HOTELS.

YESTERDAY'S ARRIVALS.

HOLLENBECK—I. A. Mead and wife, Pacific; D. L. De Vann, Yuma; C. P. Cramer and wife, Silver City, N. M.; D. H. Hill, Del Norte; Mrs. Orr, La Crosse, Wis.; Alex P. Poladura, New Orleans; P. J. McKinney, Phoenix; Dan Angiers, Bisbee; J. N. Fyles and wife, Johannesberg; C. M. Lusk and wife, Omaha; F. W. Warren, Silverbell, Ariz.; G. A. Bashanburg, Tenabo, Nev.; J. F. Sweeney, S. Gruman, San Francisco; A. R. Kramer, Oakland; Frank Young, New York; F. T. Armistrad, Tonopah; M. Mayer, J. F. Vonabbes, Seattle; William Souffrein, Ray, Ariz.; A. C. Bowles, New York; H. J. Tinling, Chicago; J. J. Brown and wife, G. H. De Valin, San Francisco; J. J. Bomer and wife, San Francisco J. M. Wiesel, Denver; R. F. Heser, Chicago; Mrs. Walton Young, Marshall; E. C. Ritter, Visalia; A. L. Nelson, Calexico; G. M. Butterworth and wife, Seattle; J. Peterson, San Francisco; J. Wilson and wife, Oakland; R. L. Utarlill, San Francisco; Mrs. Fred Klingler, Omaha; E. B. Upton, Denver; C. M. Smith, Palmyer, N. Y.; Henry Mountain, New York; Miss Elsie Nutting, Berkeley; C. C. Lindsley, Mansfield; E. O. Hall, Hood River; Thomas Haley, Ray, Ariz.; H. Hirsch, Chicago; L. Kalisky, Louis L. James, R. A. Priest, H. T. Blackwood, San Francisco; F. C. Edminston, Cincinnati.

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HAYWARD—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shelley, C. R. Sichel, San Francisco; Fred Hensing, Flagstaff; H. Blake, Goldfield; J. T. Morray, Denver; E. H. Bowman, Cincinnati; P. V. Harris, San Francisco; W. A. McDowell, El Paso; A. R. Jones, Santa Maria; J. C. Williams, Chicago; A. H. Martin, Lincoln, Neb.; J. C. Mackey, P. J. Coursa and wife, San Francisco; L. L. Magnus, New York; G. G. Faller and wife, Berkeley; H. J. Hoerule, Edward R. Shepard, M. M. Haas, Napa; H. L. Baker, Tonopah; Thomas C. Boylan, New York.

REGISTERED IN PARIS.

PARIS, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joseph, Miss J. and Miss Carita Mestler and F. A., Mrs. and A. B. D. McDonald of Los Angeles registered at the Herald office here today.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Martha Washington, M. J. Orth; Cumberland, M. G. Morton; Park Avenue, Mrs. E. Aubury; Murray Hill, C. E. Carver and wife; Breslin, L. Sentous, Jr., and wife; Hotel Astor, G. N. Black; Victoria, A. Salisbury; Everett, A. P. Tom.

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RAILROAD RECORD.

LARGE MELONS ARE IN SIGHT.

J. J. Hill May Be Induced to Do Some Carving.

Additional Dividends in Cash Are Expected.

Magnate's Associates Are Working on Plan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Considerable pressure has been brought to bear on J. J. Hill during the last few months to induce him to bring about additional cash distributions on the Hill stocks.

Friends of Hill say he has always been opposed to the payment of extra cash dividends except in extraordinary instances, but that at the present time, owing to the losses incurred by the Hill following as a result of the shrinkage in the market value of the Hill shares, Mr. Hill is inclined to yield and today he and his associates are working upon a pain which will provide for big distributions to the holders of both Northern Pacific and Great Northern shares.

The stockholders of the Great Northern have fared far better than those of the Northern Pacific during the past ten years. For that reason it is understood the latter will share better in the immediate future than the Great Northern stockholders.

The plan last fall was to pay a cash dividend of $25 a share on Northern Pacific stock from the proceeds of the sale of the equity of the Northern Pacific in the Burlington to the Great Northern. Many delays were encountered in this plan, however, but inasmuch as the Northern Pacific is very strong in cash at the present time, it is in a position to meet the demands of important stockholders for a cash distribution from accrued earnings.

HARRIMAN STILL AT HELM.

J. P. Morgan Has Not Secured Control of Union Pacific, Rumors to Contrary.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The rumor that Union Pacific has gone under the control of J. P. Morgan was revived in Wall street today.

It is not true that Mr. Morgan has control of the road, although there is every expectation that it will eventually pass into his hands.

The actual ownership of the road is now locked up in the vaults of the National City Bank of New York. The stock is held by a pool made up by William Rockefeller, H. H. Rogers, E. H. Harriman and H. C. Frick. It is not likely that there will be any immediate change of control.

CAR-SHORTAGE SOLUTION.

Inspectors' and Foremen's Convention Advocates Interchange of Equipments.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The closing session of the joint convention of Chief Car Inspectors and Car Foremen's associations at the Palmer House Wednesday, was taken up with the advocation of a general interchange of freight equipment as a solution of the freight-car shortage problem.

The following officers were elected for a second term: President, H. Houtet, Cincinnati, O.; vice-president, W. H. Cressey, South Omaha, Neb.; secretary-treasurer, D. T. Taylor, St. Louis, Mo.; executive board, Charles Waughop, St. Louis; W. E. Sharp, Chicago, and Stephen Skidmore, Cincinnati.

The session of the Traveling Engineers' Association in Chicago was directed to the reading and discussion of various papers relating to general efficiency in the operation of locomotives.

ABE HUMMEL VERY ILL.

Lawyer Who Figured in Thaw Case in State of Lethargy and Trial Prospect Doubtful.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Abe Hummel's physical and mental condition is such that the date for the second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White cannot be set.

Hummel is not now able to testify and it is doubtful that he will rally while in the penitentiary sufficiently to make a competent witness.

The State may never again be able to rest its case against the Pittsburgh murderer on the testimony of the little lawyer.

Hummel has sunk into a state of lethargy in the hospital at Blackwell's Island penitentiary, according to Dr. Sigmund Tynberg, president of the board of medical control of the penitentiary.

COADJUTOR TO SEE POPE.

Report Insistent That Rev. O' Connell Will Be Cardinal Candidate at Consistory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is reported that Coadjutor Archbishop William H. O'Connell, who succeeds the late Archbishop John J. Williams of Boston, will come to Rome to see the Pope.

The rumor is insistent that O'Connell will be proposed for election as a cardinal at one of the approaching consistories.

The Pope will hold a consistory soon, but only Italians will be named to fill the place made vacant by the recent deaths of cardinals.

BIG STEAMER OVERDUE.

Fears Entertained for Safety of American-Hawaiian Liner Nebraskan and Crew of Forty.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fate of the big American-Hawaiian line steamship Nebraskan, with a crew of forty, is in doubt.

Cablegrams state that it left the Hawaiian Islands August 13 for Salina Cruz, Mexico, with a cargo of sugar to be transported via the Tehauntepec route to Philadelphia.

The distance from the Hawaiian Islands to Salina Cruz is 3300 miles, which should have been made in thirteen days.

The Nebraskan is a steel twin-screw boat, built by the New York Shipbuilding Company in Camden in 1902. The vessel is 300 feet long, 46 feet beam and 24½ feet in depth of hold.

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HALLUCINATION.

DEATH OF BOY DRIVES INSANE.

ZACHARY TAYLOR'S GRANDDAUGHTER IS VICTIM.

Police Investigate Report That Woman Is Persecuted at Instance of New Yorker, and Learn Story of Her Sad Plight—Was Trained Nurse in St. Louis.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dispatches from St. Louis to the effect that Miss Sallie M. Taylor, a great-granddaughter of President Zachary Taylor, was being confined at Bellevue at the alleged instance of a wealthy New Yorker, who wanted her adjudged insane that he might inherit a fortune, which was bequeathed her, caused a searching police investigation.

It appears that Miss Taylor has been serving for five years in the capacity of a trained nurse to Mrs. Laura Blossom, a wealthy woman of St. Louis, and was regarded almost as one of the family.

The death of Mrs. Blossom's son, Howard, three weeks ago, caused Miss Taylor to become despondent. She insisted upon returning to St. Louis to attend the funeral, and on the homeward trip went suddenly insane. Before her condition was noticed, however, she managed to write a note to her sister in St. Louis, informing her that a wealthy New York man had her imprisoned at Bellevue. Miss Taylor is said now to be hopelessly insane.

YELLOW FEVER REAPPEARS.

Following Report of All Absence of Disease, Two Cases Are Discovered in Cuba.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following closely the announcement that all traces of yellow fever had been stamped out from the vicinity of the American army camp at Cienfuegos, Cuba, Lieut.-Col. Blair and D. Taylor, chief surgeon, reported to the War Department today that a case had been discovered a short distance from the camp, while another case had appeared in Campo Florida, Cuba. Both patients are Spaniards.

Chief Surgeon Blair's dispatch caused keen disappointment in the War Department. It is feared now that other cases may have escaped detection, and that a new source of infection has been created.

CATTLE FEUD ENDS FATALLY.

Arkansas Men Clash on Crowded Iron Mountain Train, and One Is Killed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PINE BLUFF (Ark.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As the result of a feud over the ownership of cattle, Ben A. Hardy, a prominent merchant of Monticello, was shot and killed by John A. McVay this morning on board an Iron Mountain train, in a car crowded with women and children.

It was with difficulty that a number of women were kept from jumping off the train. Hardy was returning from St. Louis.

WALKS OUT OF WINDOW.

Stanford University Student Falls Twenty Feet While Asleep and Is Badly Injured.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Sept. 6.—Levell Langstreth of Oakland, a senior in the department of chemistry, lies in the hospital with a broken arm and a strained hip as a result of a remarkable sleep-walking experience.

Early Thursday Langstreth walked out of a second-story window of a fraternity house and fell about twenty feet to the ground.

The noise of his falling awakened several of his fraternity brothers, who carried him to the hospital.

SCORNS SOCIETY.

Mrs. Corey, Formerly Mabelle Gilman, Actress, Says She Does Not Desire Butterfly Existence.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Society! What do I care for society? My music and my home life are much more to me than the butterfly existence of the society woman. I want none of it, and the rumors that the Coreys have tried to get in or are being barred by society are absolutely false."

Thus spoke Mrs. William Ellis Corey, wife of the millionaire president of the United States Steel Corporation, who was formerly Mabelle Gilman, the actress.

It was her first public statement since her marriage.

PRESIDENT HARD AT WORK.

Devotes Remainder of Vacation to Writing Message and Several Speeches.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 6.—President Roosevelt will devote the remainder of his vacation to work on his annual message to Congress and the completion of the series of speeches he is to deliver during his trip through the West and South.

Secretary Loeb exhibited a blank appointment list for the remaining three weeks of the President's stay at Sagamore Hill.

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INHUMAN ACT.

MUST PAY FOR HIS CRUELTY.

Man Who Mutilated Cows Gets Four Years.

American Is Condemned to Mexican Prison.

Convicted of Cutting Off Teats for Revenge.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] C. C. Walker, a wealthy stock shipper of Howard county, Mo., who has been in jail here for nearly two years, charged with cutting the teats off of forty blooded milk cows, has been convicted and sentenced to serve four years in a Mexican prison.

The cows belonged to S. C. Hunt of Columbia, Mo., vice-president of the Boon County Trust Company, and were valued at $8000.

The maimed animals, no longer valued for the purpose for which they were imported, were sold to the proprietor of a slaughter-house for practically the cost of shipping them to the interior of Mexico.

Walker had been shipping blooded stock to Mexico for several years, but for a few months preceding the maiming of the cows, his business lessened, owing to the success of his rival, Hunt.

At Saltillo, a station on the Mexican Central, Walker, who was returning to the United States, met Hunt en route to the City of Mexico, with a trainload of fine cows. It was charged that the Howard-county man entered the cars, and, with a large knife, cut off the teats of the entire shipment.

No one saw the deed, but the circumstantial evidence was very damaging. Walker's friends in Missouri asked the United States Consul here to see that he had a fair trial. He was represented by well-known lawyers.

BOLD BANDITS.

THREE ROBBERS HOLD UP TRAIN.

MASKED MEN LOOT ROCKY MOUNTAIN LIMITED.

Cover Train Crew in Nebraska With Pistols and Force Passengers to Give Up Pocketbooks and Purses. Make Bold Escape, With Posse in Hot Pursuit With Hounds.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA, Sept. 6.—The Rocky Mountain Limited on the Rock Island Road was raided this morning just before daylight near Murdock, Neb., by three masked men.

The robbers went through the chair car, robbing every passenger of their pocketbooks and purses, covered the train crew with revolvers and escaped by leaping from the train.

Railroad detectives and a sheriff posse are in pursuit, but the robbers have several hours start on the officers.

The robbers were passengers on the train. Soon after leaving Murdock, the men arose from their seats, their faces covered with masks, and with revolvers in each hand surveyed the passengers. Then the leader ordered everybody to keep still and offer no resistance else they would be shot.

Two men went down the aisles with hats in hand, while the third kept the passengers covered. All the passengers were ordered to throw their pocketbooks into the hats, and this was done.

The conductor appeared in the car with a pistol in his hand, but was promptly covered with four guns and forced to drop his revolver.

After getting all the money in the car, the robbers jumped from the train when it slowed down for a grade. An attempt was made to enter the sleeper but the door was locked.

The pursuit is being prosecuted very vigorously with bloodhounds.

RICH MAN TRIED FOR LIFE.

Wisconsin Lumberman Pleads Paranoiac Insanity in Murder Trial.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Amasa Campbell, a wealthy lumber merchant of Antigo, Wis., was placed on trial today in Judge Winde's court on the charge of murdering Benjamin F. Harris, M.D., in the Stock Exchange building, last December.

Campbell's defense will be paranoiac insanity. The State will give, as a motive for the killing, the relations which Campbell believed existed between Harris and his wife. The shooting occurred in the offices of Hoyne, O'Connor & Hoyne, lawyers, in the Stock Exchange building, where Dr. Harris, Mr. Campbell and other witnesses had gone to give depositions in a divorce suit between Campbell and his wife.

Harris was shot as he entered the office. After the shooting, Campbell said to the policeman to whom he gave his revolver: "That man ruined my life," and later, "I guess I have made a mistake."

The defense will involve the same issue raised in the trail of Harry Thaw for the murder of Stanford White.

SLAYS WIFE AND SELF.

DUNKARD'S DOUBLE CRIME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 6.—Peter Boyle, a gardner, early today forced his way into a rooming-house in this city, where his wife was staying, and dragging her from bed, where she was sleeping with her 7-year-old son, fired a bullet in her head and then killed himself by putting a bullet into his right temple. Mrs. Boyle died some hours later.

Boyle is said to have been out of work and was drinking heavily.

GIRL FREED FROM PRISON.

Guilt of Woman, Sent Up for Life, Is Doubted and Governor Liberates Her.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MADISON (Wis.) Sept. 6.—With every possible indication that she was not guilty of the crime for which she has already served sixteen years of a life sentence, Wilhelmina Bache was released from Waupun prison today.

The woman's life sentence for the murder of Michael Saell, of Shawnee county, was commutted by Gov. Davidson.

She went to the penitentiary when she was 15 years old.

WEST POINT IN TURMOIL.

Infliction of "Silent Treatment" Upon Plebe May Cause Dishonorable Discharge of Entire Class.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The "silent treatment" given a plebe at West Point, it is stated in dispatches received here, has resulted in a clash between the plebe class and the commandant at the military academy, Col. Robert Lee Howsee, which threatens to deplete the supply of the United States army officers four years hence, for Col. Howsee issued an order two days ago that unless the cadet was relieved entirely of the insolent treatment he would dishonorably discharge the entire class.

A cadet, the son of a wealthy Chicago man, is the young man around whom the trouble centers. He is a plebe, and, it is stated, he received the "silent treatment," not only from his own class, but from the cadets in the other classes, because of a complaint which is alleged to have been made when he was mildly hazed by a fellow-classmate.

The cadets, it is understood, have determined to remain firm in their attitude.

KNOWS VESUVIUS' WAYS.

Frank A. Perret Declares There Is no Danger of Serious Outbreak for Some Time to Come.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Frank A. Perrett, an assistant at the Vesuvian observatory, whose action in remaining at his post during last year's eruption of the volcano gained him general commendation and who is now at his home here on a brief vacation, spoke interestingly in an interview regarding the cable reports of a new eruption of Mount Vesuvius.

He declared there could be no eruption at this time, but that there had been landslides in the crater and the clouds of dust arising therefrom resembled a new eruption.

"So far as Vesuvius is concerned," he said, "let me repeat that there is no danger of a serious outbreak for sometime to come."

RULERS WELCOME AMERICAN.

Dr. Maurice F. Egan, Who Succeeds Minister O'Brien, Received in Copenhagen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 6.—The American Minister to Denmark, Dr. Maurice F. Egan, today presented to the King, ex-Minister O'Brien's letters of recall and his own credentials.

The new Minister had a long conversation with the King, who asked Mr. Egan to convey his special greetings to President Roosevelt. Mr. Egan was introduced to Queen Louise, who evinced lively interest in the philanthropic organizations of the United States and showed herself to be conversant with their work.

Their Majesties gave Mr. Egan a cordial welcome. The audience lasted an hour.

POLITICAL.

ROOSEVELT IS WEST'S DESIRE.

Straus Declares Sentiment Is Prevalent.

Taft's Is Only Other Name Heard, He Says.

Secretary Also Finds Prosperity Rampant.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Oscar S. Straus, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, arrived in Chicago today on his way to Oyster Bay, where he will report to President Roosevelt the result of his trip throughout Canada, the Hawaiian Islands and the Pacific Coast States, where he has been traveling since June 29.

Mr. Straus, who left Chicago this afternoon on the Pennsylvania, stopped in Chicago only long enough to give an interview, purchase a new hat and receive a few personal friends at the Auditorium Annex. The Secretary declared that wherever he stopped on his tour of the West he found prosperity rampant, and he said that the sentiment in every city he had visited was "Roosevelt for another term in the Presidential chair."

"The only other name I heard mentioned for the Presidency," he said, "was Taft. In every section of the country I visited," he continued, "I found an enthusiastic wish and a determined desire for Roosevelt. When I informed them what everybody knows of the position the President has taken, they all seemed to hope that conditions would compel him to accept the nomination."

When asked whether he thought such conditions could develop, Mr. Straus said, "Mr. Roosevelt is not a man to say one thing and do another."

COUNCILMAN DENIES CHARGE.

Joplin "City Dad" Accused of Soliciting Bribe Takes Stand in His Own Defense.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JOPLIN (Mo.) Sept. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Clarence Shortess, City Councilman, on the witness stand here, told the story of his alleged transactions with Charles Porter, who was seeking a franchise to operate a heating and power plant in this city.

Porter charges that Shortess made a proposition to insure the passage of his franchise upon payment of $1000, to be distributed among the members of the Council.

Shortess states than when he talked to Porter he wrote the names of eight Councilmen, because they were members of the Council caucus organized shortly after the April election, and explained the inclusion of his own name on the list because he is one of the Council caucus.

Shortess denied absolutely having written what Porter had testified was Shortess's estimate of the amount necessary to pass the franchise.

BRITISH CUSTOM DISREGARDED.

For First Time in History, Lord Chancellor Leaves United Kingdom. Coming to America.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The Lord Chancellor, Lord Loreburn, sailed for Canadad today. He will visit Niagara and possibly New York.

This is the first occasion on which a Lord Chancellor has left the United Kingdom. The law forbids that the great seal of which he is the custodian, be taken out of the country.

It is supposed to be constantly kept in his personal custody, but Lord Loreburn has arranged for safeguarding the seal during his absence.

PLANNING FOR PEACE.

Arrangements Being Perfected for Proposed Central American Conference.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Acting Secretary of State Alvey A. Adee today conferred with the diplomatic representatives of the four Central American republics relative to the coming peace conference to be held early next year in Washington.

Honduras only was not represented, as Señor Bon Angleo Ugarte, the representative of the provisional government of Honduras, was in New York.

Nothing important developed at the meeting, as Señor Don Frederico Mejia, the Salvadorean Minister, alone had authority from his government to make definite arrangement.

Preliminary plans for the conference will be drawn up by Mr. Adee and Señor Don Luis F. Godoy, representing the Mexican government, but Central American diplomats will be consulted on several important questions, such as the number of delegates from each country, time of meeting, etc.

PREFER AMERICAN RULE.

Natives of Philippines Oppose Suggestion That United States Sell Islands.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MANILA, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] English cables received here saying the New York Herald recommends the sale of the Philippines have caused earnest statements by Americans and natives against the sale.

Representatives Cocks, Reynolds and McKinney, who are here after a tour of the islands, say they will vigorously oppose a sale in the next Congress.

They advocate retention of the islands, with a declaration of their independence after fifty years.

MUTINEERS CONDEMNED.

Two Russians Must Meet Death and Seven Serve Sentences for Slaying Officer.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KIEV, (Russia) Sept. 6.—A court-martial today sentenced the mutineers of the Twenty-fifth Battalion of Sappors who on June 17 killed the commander of the Third company and began firing volleys at random, and were not subdued until surrounded by five battalions of loyal trooops.

Two of the mutineers were condemned to death, seven were sentenced to periods of imprisonment in the mines, and eighteen received lighter punishments.

IS BANISHED FROM EMPIRE.

Money Collected for Polish Nationalists in the United States Confiscated by Russia.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WARSAW, Sept. 6.—M. Gradevisky, a member of the late Parliament, who recently returned here from a tour of the United States, where he collected a large amount of money for the Polish Nationalist School, has been banished from the empire.

Gradevisky was accused of sedition, and the money has been confiscated.

DISTILLERIES COMBINE.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] About 95 per cent. of Sweden's distilleries have formed a trust, with an annual capacity of ten million gallons. This country already has sugar and whiskey trusts.

The General Land Office announces that the total cash receipts from the disposal of public land for the fiscal year ending June 30, last, were $8,494,983, an increase for the year of $1,899,414.

ONE IN THREE

Every Third Person Poisoned By Coffee.

It is difficult to make people believe that coffee is an absolute poison to at least one person out of every three, but people are slowly finding it out, although thousands of them suffer terribly before they discover the fact.

A New York hotel man says: "Each time after drinking coffee I became restless, nervous and excited, so that I was unable to sit five minutes in one place, was also inclined to vomit and suffered from loss of sleep, which got worse and worse.

"A lady said that perhaps coffee was the cause of my trouble, and suggested that I try Postum Food Coffee. I laughed at the thought that coffee hurt me, but she insisted so hard that I finally had some Postum made. I have been using it in place of coffee ever since, for I noticed that all my former nervousness and irritation disappeared. I began to sleep perfectly, and the Postum tasted as good or better than the old coffee, so what was the use of sticking to a beverage that was ruining me?

"One day on an excursion up the country I remarked to a young lady friend on her greatly approved appearance. She explained that some time before she had quit using coffee and taken Postum. She had gained a number of pounds and her former palpitation of the heart, humming in the ears, trembling of the hands and legs and other disagreeable feelings had disappeared. She recommended me to quit coffee and take Postum and was very much surprised to find that I had already made the change.

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Women's Neckwear 5c

10c, 15c AND 25c VALUES

An assorted lot of fancy neckwear, wash stocks of cotton and linen, lace tabs, dainty turnovers in plain and fancy swiss, and other smart styles that formerly sold at from 10c to 25c. Your choice this morning 5c each. Aisle 2.

BROADWAY—HEADQUARTERS FOR SILKS, DRESS GOODS

BOTH PHONES EXCHANGE 337

The Broadway Department Store

Broadway, Cor 4th., Los Angeles Arthur Letts

For Your Convenience

IN AND ABOUT THE STORE

A branch of the Wells-Fargo Express office, branch of the U. S. postoffice.

Rest rooms and public telephones.

Accommodation desk, bureau of information.

A restaurant on the fourth floor.

Rare Bargains for the Half Day Saturday

Sale of the Gordon-Andrews Stock

Dress Goods, Silks, Linings Bought at Great Sacrifice

Extra special inducements in the way of low prices make the half day Saturday an important buying time in this greatest of all dress goods and silk sale.

48-inch $1.50 Zibeline Cheviot.....
46-inch $1.50 Fancy Basket Cloth.....
52-inch $1.50 Broadcloth.....
46-inch $1.25 Basket Cloth.....
ALL IN BLACK

49c YARD

45-inch $1.25 Gray Zibeline.....
42-inch Black and White Panama.....
57-inch $2.25 Melton Cloth.....
45-inch $1.00 Tropical Suiting.....
48-inch 98c Striped Panama.....
50-inch 98c Checked Cheviot.....

49c YARD

4½ Hrs. Magnetic Selling Winding Up a Short Week in Whirl of Values

Shopping interest will be at its height Saturday. New fall stocks are arriving every day. Prices on summer stocks are being pushed to the lowest notch. This morning's list is prepared with great care. Every department responding, to make every minute of the short selling time filled with bargain importance. Watch the clock; be here when the doors open.

$3.50 Elbow Length Black Kid Gloves $2.69

FROM 9 TO 10 A.M.

Just for an hour this morning from 9 to 10 you can buy best black French kid gloves, 12-button length, the kind that always retail at $3.50, Saturday $2.69. There are just 150 pairs of these in all sizes; no phone or mail orders will be filled, none sold to dealers. Be here on time.

Mennen's 25c Size Talcum Powder 7½c

FROM 8 TO 9 A.M.

This is the 25c size that we sell regularly at 15c. Half price for one hour this morning, aisle 5, at 7½c each. No phone orders, none to dealers.

Dainty White Shirt Waists

$1.75, $2.00 and $2.50 Values..... **$1.48**

SOME OF THEM NEVER SHOWN BEFORE

The manufacturer is helping us take the loss here. A new lot of shirt waists that were delayed, that are equal to those we are selling now at $2.50; with long and short sleeve style; embroidered front and tucked back. Then we've included a number of our $1.75, $2 and $2.50 waists from regular stock to make a Saturday morning bargain at $1.48.

$4.00 and $5.00 Wash Suits $2.48

This is a value worth hurrying for; dark blue wash suits, with trimming of white and pearl buttons; skirts cut very full. Materials are figured lawns in pink, lavender and yellow or plain white lawn with embroidery or lace trimming. These are ready sellers at $4 and $5; this morning at $2.48. Second floor.

$1.25 Mohair Suiting

Mixtures, Blue, Brown and Green FROM 8 TO 10 A. M..... 39c Yard

25c Tricot Flannel 15c
ALL WOOL—NEW SHADES

50c Checks, Suitings, Mixtures 23c Yd.
From 10 A. M. to 12 M.

75c Nat'l Pongee Silk 49c
300 YARDS WHILE IT LASTS

27-In. Black Taffeta 59c
$1.25 QUALITY—ABOUT 60 YARDS

Remnants Lining 5c
15c TO 20c VALUES (8 TO 10)

75c Lining Taffeta 25c
BLACK—36-IN. (10 TO 12:30)

5 Lbs. Sugar 29c

FROM 8 TO 9:30 A.M.

Purest fine granulated sugar. None delivered except with other groceries.

LARGE BOTTLE CATSUP 15c. Country Club brand, made to sell at 25c; our regular price 20c.

2 LBS. BUTTER 67c. Full weight finest grade.

2 CANS TOMATOES 15c. Full standard dozen cans, 89c.

FRENCH PEAS 14c. Fine, delicious peas; full size can.

2 LB. CAN RIPE OLIVES 20c.

1 GALLON BLUE SEAL OLIVE OIL $2.95.

TWO BREAKFAST MACKEREL 25c.

Orders completed at 11 o'clock go out today.

75c Bolt of Val. Lace 25c

FROM 8 TO 9 A.M.

Bright new edges and insertions in Val. laces, some insertions to match. All widths; actually worth 75c, on sale this morning from 8 to 9, 25c bolt. Be here when the doors open. No phone orders.

Fine Ribbons 12 1-2c

20c TO 35c VALUES

A remarkable ribbon value for Saturday morning; taffetas, satin, fancy striped novelties, printed warp, ribbons that sell at 20c, 25c and 35c; some messaline finish, widths up to four inches. This morning buy any of them 12½c yard. Aisle 1.

Velvet Ribbons 6c

FROM 10c TO 12½c VALUES

Here's an opportunity to buy all silk satin back ribbons in black only, No. 2 and No. 3; you know what you pay throughout the city, 10c and 12½c. This morning here 6c yard. Aisle 1.

LABOR.

UNIONS HOLD UP FUNERAL.

Disgusting Strike at Burial in Brooklyn.

Walking Delegates Even Go to Grave Side.

Police Force Drivers to Carry Mourners.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the command of several walking delegates, representing hostile unions, the drivers of sixty carriages climbed down from their boxes at the close of a funeral in Brooklyn this morning and refused to take the mourners to the cemetery.

To the appeals and tears of the bereaved they gave no heed, and it was not until the reserves had been called out and a police captain threatened to arrest them that they were prevailed upon to take the mourners to the cemetery.

Even then the procession did not move in the customary manner. The hearse went to the cemetery by one route, while the mourners' carriages, driven by another, reached the grave fully half an hour after the hearse had arrived.

The funeral was one of the most remarkable and pitiful ever enacted in Brooklyn. It was that of Michael J. Daly, who died at his former home, No. 127 North Seventh street, last Monday from old age.

Just before the end of the funeral cortège several men, who had a very determined manner, and whom it was subsequently learned were walking delegates, approached the church and circulated among the various drivers sitting on the boxes of the carriages.

Some of these drivers belonged to the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, others to the United Teamsters' Federation, and still others to the Early Dawn Association. All these associations are unions, the members of which are drivers, and are supposed to be hostile to one another.

To each group of drivers, the walking delegates representing the union of that group pointed out that they were working with drivers of hostile organizations and urged them to abandon their carriages.

One after another the drivers yielded to the walking delegates' command, and the driver of the hearse jumping down from his seat.

Men and women, including the widow of the dead man, thrust their heads through the open windows of the carriages and with tears coursing down their cheeks, pleaded with the drivers not to abandon the vehicles, but the appeals were in vain.

John Capt. Cramer and a squad of police finally appeared on the scene and threatened to arrest all the drivers if they blocked the street if they did not proceed to the cemetery.

Reluctantly the drivers took their places and the funeral procession departed. The driver of the hearse, however, rode away with the coffined body, followed by an impromptu route, reaching the cemetery half an hour before the carriages.

STRIKE IS AVERTED.

Mayor of Louisville Acts as Mediator Between Street Car Company and Its Employees.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The threatened strike of the employés of the Louisville Railway Company, which was believed to be inevitable, has been averted for the present and the cars are running as usual.

Pending the settlement of the situation, which belongs to Mayor Bingham, he secured the promise of the representatives of the company to give the men further assurances that discriminations will be made against them.

This was agreed to in writing and the same will be posted to that effect on the railway company.

FARMERS STRIKE IN SWEDEN.

Workmen Hands Tie Up Harvests Because of Importation of Many Galicians.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A general strike is in progress among the agricultural laborers in the province of Skane, which includes the richest farming districts of the country.

Several thousand Galicians have been brought in, and conflicts have taken place between them and the native laborers and students of Lund University, who are working in the harvest fields.

The strikers asked the Governor of Skane to prohibit the importation of foreign laborers, but he refused. The trouble is causing delay in the crops and loss to the farmers.

TO END UNION WAR.

Chicago is Asked to Decide Dispute That Has Tied Up Big Plant in Chicago.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, has been asked to make a decision in the strike of carpenters at the plant of the Brunswick-Balke-Colender Company.

The company officials are taking no part in the controversy between the two warring unions which started the trouble, but they are unable to operate the factory.

Many members of the Carpenters' union struck because the company officers refused to discharge 150 non-members.

ROCKEFELLER VISITS OFFICE.

Standard Oil Chief Drops in at Broadway Headquarters for First Time Since 1899.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For the first time since 1899 John D. Rockefeller has, during the past week, paid several visits to his offices at 26 Broadway. He has maintained a handsome set of offices on the second floor of the Standard Oil building since he retired from the active management of the company, a few years ago, but only his secretary has used them.

Mr. Rockefeller went to the office last Monday, returned again Wednesday morning and left Thursday night for Wall street led to a report that he had been to his office to confer with the directors and his secretaries as to the preparation of the appeal from the $29,240,000 fine recently imposed by Judge Landis.

A representative of Mr. Rockefeller denied this story today with emphasis. He said Mr. Rockefeller had visited the office to go over some personal matters with his secretary. He asserted that Mr. Rockefeller was leaving the government suit entirely to the active heads of the company.

The Standard Oil financier was reported in excellent health and he desired it to be known that he had become a very prominent member of the "Don't Worry" Club.

INDUSTRIAL.

CAR COMPANY IS TO SELL STOCK.

ST. LOUIS CONCERN TO FLOAT $3,000,000, PREFERRED.

Deal With French Bankers Confirmed and Issue of Big Block Bearing Seven Per Cent. Interest Is Authorized—Negotiations Were Suspended Temporarily.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The report that the deal by which the St. Louis Car Company was to sell $3,000,000 of its preferred stock to a syndicate of French bankers has been confirmed by an officer of the National Bank of Commerce.

It is stated that a deal is being negotiated with eastern capitalists, and results are expected within a few days.

The explanation given in banking circles for the failure of the deal is that the agents who negotiated with the St. Louis Car Company, and contracted to place the stock in France, were not of sufficient standing with the Credit Lyonaise and other French banking institutions to float the deal.

This fact did not develop in St. Louis until after the contract had been signed. It is said that the price of the stock was placed at $90 a share, and that the option has passed.

George J. Kobusch, president of the company, is said to have been notified that, upon delivery of the stock at the National Bank of Commerce, $1,600,000 would be deposited in the Bank of France to the credit of the St. Louis Car Company.

The company immediately filed an increase in its capital stock to authorize the issue of the $3,000,000 preferred stock bearing 7 per cent. interest. The former capital was $3,000,000, common stock, with a bonded debt of $695,000.

NETHERSOLE IN NEW YORK.

Famous Actress Arrives from Parisian Triumph to Appear in "Carmen" at Kansas City.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Olga Nethersole, in cream-colored broadcloth and clamshell, arrived on the steamship Cedric today, bubbling over with stories of her recent triumphs in Paris. She set out at once in a special car for Kansas City, where on September 12 she is to open her season in "Carmen."

Miss Nethersole will play for the first time in San Francisco this year, and may also play in Mexico. She will produce several new plays, including "The Rival," a dramatic version of L'Pagliacci, by Charles H. E. Brookfield, and "The Enigma," by Paul Hervi.

Olga denied the report that she would soon marry. The actress was met by her brother and drove away with as little delay as possible to catch her train. Her company will arrive tomorrow at Kansas City.

"SPOOK" TRIAL.

CLAIRVOYANT IS JOKE VICTIM.

LAWYER PLAYS TRYING TRICK ON MEDIUM.

Gives Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt a Sealed Letter on Stand—Gifted Indian Princess, "Bright Eyes," Safely Locked Up in Ethereal Mazes of Eternity—Fails to Respond.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As soon as Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt took the stand for the second day of her examination before the lunacy commission, appointed to examine into the sanity of her husband, Edward Vanderbilt, counsel for Miss Minerva Vanderbilt, Attorney Rosenberg, played a trying trick. He handed Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt a sealed letter.

The letter was addressed jointly to Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt and to "Bright Eyes," the gifted Indian spirit, who has been so prominent at the Pepper seances for years past.

"Madame," said Mr. Rosenberg, "will you kindly read that letter for us without breaking the seal, following your usual custom, while holding services at your First Church of Spiritualism."

After objections were overruled, Mr. Rosenberg wanted to know why Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt could not get help from "Bright Eyes" now.

The spiritualistic leader explained that she had no power over "Bright Eyes," and could not at will call the Indian Princess out of the ethereal blue.

Whereat Mr. Rosenberg showed that hundreds of times she had passed into the trance state at her seances, and that invariably "Bright Eyes" was immediately on to the job.

Although he admitted that he was not in good voice, he volunteered to sing. Mrs. Pepper Vanderbilt thought it would expedite the reading of the sealed letter. However, there was no singing, and he had to put the sealed letter back into his pocket.

Here Dr. Fairbarn, the medical member of the board, took a hand. He pointed out that the evidence showed that Mr. Vanderbilt had once sent "Bright Eyes" 1000 marks, and asked the witness to explain it.

Mrs. Pepper said she received the check while she was broke in Europe. "But I have been told that the check was for Bright Eyes," pressed the commissioner. "Did you use it?"

"Yes."

"Then you must have indorsed the check."

The examination will be resumed Monday.

SUBTREASURER IS BITTEN.

Dog Attacks Him in Front of St. Louis Federal Building, and Bite Proves Serious.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] T. J. Akins, United States subtreasurer and National Republican Committeeman from Missouri, is at his home here suffering from the bite of a dog, which attacked him in front of the Federal building.

The wound has been cauterized, but while very painful the attending physician has hopes of the patient's recovering.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Michael Beshear.

TRINIDAD (Colo.) Sept. 6.—Dr. Michael Beshear, one of the most prominent and popular men of Southern Colorado, died last night after a short illness at the age of 74. He was born in Pennsylvania and was graduated from Ann Arbor University in 1853, being the last survivor of his class. He served as a surgeon in the Confederate army. Coming to Colorado in 1866. He was one of the first three white men to settle in Trinidad. He founded the Pueblo Chieftain and the Trinidad Advertiser, and had held many public offices.

August Gisin.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 6.—August Gisin, founder of the Baltimore Journal (German) died at his home here yesterday of acute indigestion.

BACK TO HIS OLD GAME.

Get-Rich-Quick Swindler Who Served Time Is Looking for More Dupes With Dollars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Peter Garraghan, the Brooklyn real estate man, who received and served his term as a swindler, is back at his old game with a gigantic scheme for a Utopian city that is guaranteed to pour millions of dollars into the laps of the lucky investors.

Garraghan is the same man who organized the ill-fated Industrial Federation of America, which was to build a wonderful city of more than 200,000 population on the submerged lands of Jamaica Bay.

Garraghan's new scheme is the baldest and boldest of all. Trusting, apparently, to the quick forgetfulness of the public, Garraghan has gone right back to the scheme for a city in St. Mary's county, Md.

PRIZES ARE AWARDED.

Utah's Exhibit at Interstate Exposition of Landed and Forest Productions Proves Best.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 6.—Utah carried off the honors in connection with the Interstate Exposition of Land and Forest Productions.

The awards were made today, and Utah was given seven trophies, seven cash prizes and one Durham bull.

Three trophies went to Oregon, and also a Holstein bull. Wyoming, Louisiana, Idaho, Washington, and Texas each received awards in trophies or cash.

WOMAN IN CASE IS FREE.

Jury Acquits Mrs. Carter of Charge of Receiving Stolen Money from Absconding Bank Teller.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Laura M. Carter was acquitted by the jury which has been trying her before Judge Whitman on the charge of receiving $5000 of stolen money from Chester B. Runyan, the absconding paying teller of the Windsor Trust Company.

The jury was only forty minutes in deciding the fate of the woman who hid Runyan for a week after he carried away a suit case containing $96,000 of the trust company's money.

Mrs. Carter was recalled to the stand at the opening of the proceedings today by Assistant Dist.-Atty. Marshall, who continued his cross-examination. He brought out some facts that tended to discredit the truth of the story she told in her direct testimony.

DECEPTION IS CHARGED.

Former Atty.-Gen Hart Is Sued by Man Who Invested Money in Arizona Mine.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Former Atty.-Gen. W. H. H. Hart is charged by Caesar Rodoni with having deceived him in regard to a mining deal by which Rodoni claims to have lost $1000, which he seeks to recover.

According to Rodoni's complaint, in a suit filed in the Superior Court, Hart told him that if he would invest $1000 in the Cedric Tonopah group of mines in Arizona, which Hart claimed he and his associates controlled, he would have a chance to make a good profit, and could not lose, anyhow.

Hart is alleged to have told Rodoni that if the latter would join a pool of insiders, to whom the scheme was limited, he need not pay down but 10 cents a share of the stock, which would later be redeemed at 10 cents a share if the mines proved profitable, and that if they did not he would be repaid the $1000 which he invested.

As time went on, says Rodoni, and nothing happened, he investigated, and learned that Hart, instead of devoting the money to the purpose intended, had placed it on deposit in the Central Trust Company, to the credit of the Amalgamated Mines Company, in which Hart was interested.

Rodoni then sued, and attached Hart's interests in the Cedric Tonopah Mining Company, which includes among its other properties the Liberty King and Liberty Queen mines, which Hart claimed to be very rich.

GET TOGETHER.

RAILWAY HEADS HOLD MEETINGS.

WESTERN PRESIDENTS DISCUSS IMPORTANT TOPICS.

Take Advantage of Presence in New York and Indulge in Informal Conferences at Waldorf-Astoria. General Situation Reviewed—Stickney Absent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While the presence in New York of several presidents of western railroads "is really only a coincidence," these railroad men have taken advantage of their accidental coming together to talk over important matters affecting the general railroad situation in the country.

They have been holding informal conferences at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, and at several Wall street luncheon clubs.

Among those who are in the city are: President A. B. Stickney of the Chicago Great Western; A. J. Earling, of the St. Paul; Samuel Felton, of the Alton and E. P. Ripley of the Atchison. President Stickney is on his way to Europe and has not been a party to the conference, simply because he has not been invited to them.

The reason is that Mr. Stickney has always been an advocate of the measures and policies of the Roosevelt administration, affecting railroad and rate regulations.

As a matter of fact, he has been about the only defender of the rate law among the railroad men in the West. He predicted that the law as passed by Congress would increase the revenue of the railroads and release honest railroad officials from the domination of the powerful industrials combinations in the matter of rebates.

Mr. Stickney's prophesies have proved true, but nevertheless he is banished from the councils of the railroad presidents.

The other presidents have talked of many things affecting their interests. Among the most important have been the western laws regulating the passenger and traffic rates.

The recent Minnesota law has been the particular subject of discussion. It is possible that these conferences may result in several stockholders' suits to restrain the State of Minnesota from enforcing its schedule.

The railroad presidents have been in communication with Secretary Loeb at Oyster Bay. They are trying to get him to interest the President in a plan to suspend sections of the law which went into effect July 1, and which force the railroads to charge to operating expenses certain items that heretofore have been charged to construction account.

The law carries a severe penalty and the juggling of railroad accounts is now an exceedingly dangerous thing. Operating expenses hereafter must be called "operating expenses," and construction expenses must be called by their proper names.

This feature of railroad statements has for years been used to bolster net earnings to suit the purposes of speculating directors in Wall street.

The railroad presidents are willing to change their method of accounting, but they want a year in which to alter their system of bookkeeping. It is said that the President has turned a deaf ear to their urgent messages over the telephone. At least it is not considered likely that the provision of the law will be suspended to suit the convenience of the railroad men.

STUDENTS AT PLAY.

CLASS RUSH AT STANFORD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Sept. 6.—G. Knupp of Porterville was today chosen graduate manager of the associated students, to succeed D. D. Sales of Denver.

The annual freshman-sophomore rush will be held tomorrow afternoon, under the supervision of a committee of thirty-five upper classmen, who will act as officers.

The event will be a rope-tying contest.

Gen. Mortez Khan, Minister Plenipotentiary from Persia to the United States and Mexico, has arrived in San Francisco. He bears messages to the governments of both countries of the accession of Mohamed Ali Shah to the Persian throne, on the death of the former Shah, which occurred January 9, last.

Dr. Price's Wheat Flake Celery Food

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Proposals for Sewer System.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS for the construction of a municipal Sewer System, etc.., at Bisbee, Cochise County, Arizona, will be received by the Common Council of said city at the office of the Clerk of said city until 7:30 p.m. of October 8th, 1907.

Plans, profiles and specifications can be seen, and blank forms can be obtained at the office of said city clerk, at the office of J. L. Campbell, Engineer Maintenance of Way, El Paso and Southwestern System, El Paso, Texas, and at the office of Olmsted & Gillelen, 614 Grant Building, Los Angeles, Cala.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent. of the amount of the bid as a guarantee of good faith.

The checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately upon awarding of contract.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond in the sum of forty per cent. of amount of bid to insure proper construction and completion of the work.

The city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Dated Bisbee, Arizona, September —, 1907.

C. W. HICKS, City Clerk.

Notice to Stockholders

Notice is hereby given that the Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the ARIZONA-HERCULES COPPER COMPANY, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Territory of Arizona, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Phoenix, Territory of Arizona, on Tuesday, the 17th day of September, 1907 A.D., at the hour of 10:00 A.M. of said day. The said meeting will be held for the purpose of transacting any business that may come before it.

W. P. DUNHAM, President.
E. G. THOMAS, Secretary.

SPORTING PAGE.

NORTHERNERS WIN DOUBLES.

Sinsabaugh and Hendrick Put Up Great Contest.

Janes and McLaughlin Drive Ball Through Courts.

Foley and Adams, Defenders, to Be Victims Today.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DEL MONTE, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Today's results in the principal tennis matches in the Pacific Coast tournament being held here were:

Ladies' singles, finals: Miss Florence Sutton beat Miss Golda Meyer, 6-0, 6-0.

Junior singles, second round: Ward Dawson beat Fuchs, 6-1, 6-1; Reigle beat Art Cawston, 6-3, 6-8, 6-4. Semi-finals, Getz beat Reigle, 6-1, 6-1.

Men's open singles, third round: Bell beat Sinsabaugh, 6-3, 7-5; McLaughlin beat George Janes, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's doubles, semi-finals: Sinsabaugh and Hendrick beat M. Long and Gardner, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4; Janes and McLaughlin beat Bundy and Spaulding, 7-5, 9-7. Finals, Janes and McLaughlin beat Sinsabaugh and Hendrick, 6-2, 9-6, 8-10, 6-3, 6-0.

GREAT DOUBLES.

George Janes and Maurice McLaughlin won the finals of the men's open doubles, this afternoon, after five sets of hard-fought, sensational tennis with Sinsabaugh and Hendrick. The score was 6-2, 3-6, 8-10, 6-3, 6-0.

By their victory today Janes and McLaughlin practically established their right to the Coast doubles championship for 1907, as neither Foley nor Adams, who won last year, and will defend tomorrow, are playing in the same class with them at the present time.

Sensational tennis by all four players was kept up throughout the match, but the third set was the most brilliant exhibition. Each side seemed practically certain of winning its own service and not until McLaughlin weakened and lost the thirteenth game did either side break in.

The northerners recovered and took Hendrick's next service, making the score 8-7, but Sinsabaugh and Hendrick won the next three games and set. The long struggle told on the southern players, and Janes and McLaughlin smashed and drove through them for the next two sets.

The winners were on the aggressive throughout the match, and won largely on the greater speed they were able to put into their overhead work. McLaughlin's smashing is the hardest ever developed by a Pacific Coast tennis player, and his drive scored an ace whenever it landed in the court. Janes killed many short ones at the net, and sent over some terrific drives. Sinsabaugh made more than his usual quota of remarkable recoveries.

In the semi-finals of the doubles, played in the morning, Sinsabaugh and Hendrick evened up their score with Melville Long and Carl Gardner, putting them out, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4. The match was devoid of the brilliant play that marked the meeting of the two teams at Santa Barbara, both sides being afraid to take any chances and playing safe.

STUBBORN FIGHT.

In the lower half Bundy and Spaulding put up a great fight against McLaughlin and Janes, the latter team winning, 7-5, 9-7. The losers played brilliant tennis, but were unable to break into their opponents' serve. Spaulding lobbed perfectly and made many splendid kills from the net, but lost his service twice at critical points in sets.

Miss Florence Sutton administered a good old Sutton drubbing to Miss Golda Meyer of San Francisco, in the finals of the ladies' singles this morning. The score was 6-0, 6-0. Miss Meyer was expected to give Miss Sutton a hard game, but her strokes were of no effect against Miss Sutton's aggressive game. Miss Sutton will play Miss Hazel Hotchkiss of Berkeley for the ladies' championship, and should have little trouble in winning it.

Alphonso Bell this morning defeated Sinsabaugh, 6-3, 6-4, and this afternoon Tom Bundy by 6-3, 5-7, 6-4. Maurice McLaughlin demonstrated his class by beating George Janes 6-1, 6-2 in the morning and plays Herbert Long in the semi-finals Saturday morning, the winner to meet Bell in the afternoon.

Scores of sets in doubles, finals, set one: Janes and McLaughlin, 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9; Sinsabaugh and Hendricks—2, 4.

Set two: Janes and McLaughlin—3, 5, 7, 9; Sinsabaugh and Hendrick—1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10.

Set Three: Janes and McLaughlin—1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 14, 15; Sinsabaugh and Hendrick—2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18.

Set Four: Janes and McLaughlin 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9; Sinsabaugh and Hendrick—2, 6, 8.

Set Five: Janes and McLaughlin—Love set.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Men's singles, third round: Herbert Long beat Hal Braly, 6-6, 8-6, 6-4; Tom Bundy beat Trow Hendrick, 6-1, 6-4.

First round, men's doubles: Sinsabaugh and Hendrick beat Gowan and Cassell, 6-3, 6-1; Harry Rolfe and Herbert Long beat Budgett and Harper, 6-1, 6-2; Bell and Braly beat Bob Whitney and Driscoll, 6-3, 6-3; Janes and McLaughlin beat Rentiens and Blumenthal, 6-1, 6-1.

Second round: Sinsabaugh and Hendrick beat Woodbury and Hopper, 6-4, 6-2; Mel Long and Gardner beat Herbert Long and Rolfe, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3; Janes and McLaughlin beat Harry Welhe and Cecil Henry 6-4, 6-3; Albert Spaulding and Tom Bundy beat Bell and Braly, 4-6, 9-7, 6-3.

Mixed doubles, first round: Miss Florence Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Miss Golda Meyer and Janes, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3; Miss Radcliff and McLaughlin beat Miss Bessie Valleau and Spaulding, 6-3, 1-6, 6-3; Miss Radcliff and McLaughlin beat Miss Bessie Valleau and Spaulding, 6-3, 1-6, 6-3; Mrs. Farquhar and Bell beat Mrs. Bruce and Bundy, 6-4, 2-6, 6-0.

Semi-finals: Mrs. Farquhar and Bell beat Miss Hazel Hotchkiss and C. Foley, 8-6, 1-6, 6-4; Miss Florence Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Miss Radcliff and McLaughlin, 6-3, 6-0.

Semi-finals: Miss Golda Meyer beat Miss Bessie Valleau, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Florence Sutton beat Mrs. B. O. Bruce, 6-3, 6-0. Finals: Miss Sutton beat Miss Meyer, 6-0, 6-0.

Junior singles, preliminary round: Fuchs beat Sonntag, 9-7, 9-7; Ward Dawson beat Voorsanger 6-0, 6-0; Reigle beat Henke, 5-7, 6-3, 6-1.

First round: Rob Strahan of San Francisco beat Charley Rogers of Los Angeles, 6-3, 7-5; Harold Getz beat B. Botkin, 7-9, 6-1, 6-2.

The principal event of Del Monte golf links, today, was the handicap mixed foursomes. There were thirty-two players entered. The best score was made by Mrs. H. R. Warner, and F. Bement Gross 100, handicap 24, net 76.

The final round over eighteen holes in the contest for the Del Monte cup for women, was played between Mrs. J. Leroy Nickel (3,) and Miss West (scratch,) and won by Mrs. Nickel with 3 up to 2 to play.

POLO CLUB PRACTICE.

No Dates Have Been Arranged for Fall Tournament to Be Held at Santa Barbara.

The Polo Club will practice again this afternoon at Agricultural Park, in preparation for the fall and winter tournaments. Two players from Honolulu, Dr. Robert J. McAdory and C. H. W. Norton, will play with the local men. Dr. J. A. Edmonds, president of the club, says that the organization is in better shape this year than ever, and new members are coming in.

No definite date for the fall tournament at Santa Barbara has been set, but the players are practicing hard and will be in readiness for the event when it is announced.

GERHARDT WINS HUNDRED DASH.

CALIFORNIAN RUNS WELL IN THE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Athletic Games at Jamestown Exposition Prove Better Than Early Predictions Indicated—All Entries Admitted and no Protests Filed. Parsons to Run Today.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NORFOLK (Va.) Sept. 6.—The annual field day track championship of the Amateur Athletic Union of America began in the athletic field of the Jamestown Exposition grounds at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and will continue through the week.

The junior championship events were carded for today, with the senior championships reserved for tomorrow.

The largest number of American athletes ever assembled in this part of the country are present, practically all of the prominent athletic clubs in the United States being represented by their best men. There are more items in the events as a whole than ever before. The amateur teams for the Irish-American club of New York; the Olympic club of San Francisco; the Montreal club, and other large teams, were joined this morning by the New York Athletic club.

Keating of the Irish-American club, Parsons of the Olympic club, Dan Kelley of Oregon, with other prominent men, are here for the run contests; with big John Flannigan of the New York Athletic club, Matt McGrath of the Irish-American Athletic club, and A. L. Plaw of the Olympic club for the hammer hurling event; and Ralph Rose of the Olympic club, and Wesley W. Coe of Boston, rival premier shot-putters, are on hand and in fine fettle.

The weather is clear, not too hot, and promising for the sixteen events.

The American Amateur Athletic Association decided to admit all the entries for the championships. No proof was found that any of the men were ineligible and all protests were thrown out.

JUNIOR CONTESTS.

Results in junior contests today were:

The 100-yard dash—P. C. Gerhardt (Olympic,) San Francisco, won; W. J. Keating (I.A.A.C.,) second; F. L. Lukeman (Montreal,) third; time, 10 2-5s.

Half mile—Frank Shuhan (Boston,) won; C. M. French (New York,) second; W. A. Mecky (Montreal,) third; time, 1m. 56 2-5s.

One mile—James J. Sullivan (Boston,) won; F. N. Riley (I.A.A.C.,) second; J. E. Eisele (New York,) third; time, 4m. 20 4-5s.

Putting sixteen-pound shot—W. Gilmore (Olympic,) won; Lee Talbott (I.A.A.C.,) second; P. McDonald (I.A.A.C.,) third; distance, 43ft. 11½in.

The 440-yard dash—G. B. Ford (N.Y.A.C.,) won; A. T. Bailey (N.Y.A.C.,) second; LeRoy Borland (Pastime A.C.,) third; time, 51 2-5s.

Running high jump—F. F. Risley (I.A.A.C.,) won; W. C. Fielding (N.Y.A.C.,) second; F. H. Young (Washington, D. C.,) third; height, 5 ft. 9 1-2 in.

Throwing discus—Lee Talbott (I.A.A.C.,) won; John J. W. White (Pastime A. C.,) second; Herman Meyer (N.Y.A.C.,) third; distance, 113 ft. 6 1-2 in.

The 220-yard dash—W. J. Keating (I.A.A.C.,) won; G. N. Schaffer (N.Y.A.C.,) second; J. J. Archer (I.A.A.C.,) third; time, 22 1-5s.

The 220-yard hurdles—W. S. Lee (N.Y.A.C.,) won; Walter Bursch (N.Y.A.C.,) second; F. J. Kear (N.Y.A.C.,) third; time, 25 2-5s.

MOTOR CYCLE RACERS READY

Great preparations are being made for the big motorcycle races to be held at Agricultural Park on Monday afternoon and if one may judge from the events and the list of entries, some exciting sport should result. This will be the first real motor meet ever held in this city and the motor men are unusually interested in it, for at least a dozen different makes of machines will be seen in action. They will make fast time, judging from the practice spins at Agricultural Park yesterday.

Several new high-power French machines will be seen in action, and an opportunity will thus be presented to compare the foreign and domestic products. The programme is sufficiently varied in character to give each machine a chance to show what it can do and the prizes are worth going after. The first race will be called promptly at 1 o'clock and the programme and entries are as follows:

First event, for boys on stock machines—E. Koch, Reading Standard; C. Balke, Indian; Harry Smith, Torpedo.

Second event, three-mile match race—Yale, single cylinder; Belgian, four-cylinder; Torpedo, single cylinder.

Third event, five miles—E. Carpenter, R. Applegate, H. Thomas, F. McBride, H. Shafer and E. Koch, Reading Standard; C. Johnson, E. Taeubert; V. Herbelin, C. W. Risden, F. Ruthbert and W. A. Haan, Indian; R. Emcraw, Navajo; E. Shockley, Torpedo.

Exhibition—One mile, Reading Standard tandem, S. L. Lyon and lady.

Fourth event, single-cylinder Australian pursuit—G. Colt, F. McBride, G. Blaylock, H. Shafer and E. W. Hoag, Reading Standard; M. Reboul, Brunette; R. Bernard, Columbia; E. Shockley, Torpedo; G. Chedeworth, Yale; M. F. Strauss and E. L. Parmalee, Light.

Fifth event, Australian pursuit, multiple cylinder—C. W. Risden and A. T. Werner, Indian; F. B. Bueneman and P. Derkum, Indian; N. H. Redfield, Redfield; A. Mitchell and W. G. Collins, Peugeot; J. Massli and F. Bungay, Curtiss; C. O. Sparks, Dick and Red.

Sixth event, five miles for multiple-cylinder machines—F. B. Bueneman, P. Derkum, C. W. Risden and A. T. Werner, Indian; A. Mitchell and W. G. Collins, Peugeot; J. Massli, Curtiss; C. O. Sparks, Dick and Red; G. Blaylock, Holmes & Hoag; N. H. Red field, Redfield; F. Bungay, Curtiss.

Seventh event, four-mile team relay race—First team, G. Colt, F. Bueneman, G. Blaylock and E. Kehl; second team, P. Derkum, E. Carpenter, H. Shafer and M. Reboul; third team, C. O. Sparks, E. L. Parmalee, V. Herbelin and E. W. Hoag; fourth team, C. W. Risden, F. McBride, R. Bernard and A. Gringer.

Eighth event, five miles free-for-all single-cylinder machines—G. Colt, A. Gringer, G. Blaylock and E. W. Hoag, Reading Standard; C. W. Risden and W. G. Collins, Indian; R. Bernard, Columbia; L. Lagrille, Navajo; E. L. Parmalee and M. Strauss, Light; E. Kehl, Racycle.

Ninth event, two-mile obstacle race—V. Herbelin, B. Beattie, C. Johnson and E. Taeubert, Indian; F. McBride and A. Gringer, Reading Standard; R. Bernard, Columbia; V. Juggenheimer, Cardinac; E. Shockley, Torpedo.

Tenth event, club challenge cup, three heats—Multiples, qualifying round, J. Massli and F. Bungay, Curtiss; F. B. Bueneman and P. Perkum, Indian; W. G. Collins, Peugeot; N. H. Redfield, Redfield. Singles, qualifying, H. N. Thomas, E. W. Hoag, G. Blaylock and H. Shafer, Reading Standard; E. Kehl, Racycle; E. L. Parmalee, Light; R. Bernard, Columbia; C. Johnson and E. Taeubert, Indian. Third heat to be between singles and doubles, the latter to be handicapped.

Eleventh event, Cupid race, tandem single-cylinder, four miles—H. Shafer, G. Blaylock and E. W. Hoag, Reading Standard; W. G. Collins, Indian. First and third miles without lady; second and fourth with lady.

Twelfth event, five miles for novices, single-cylinder machines—G. Colt and A. Carpenter, Reading Standard; M. F. Strauss and E. L. Parmalee, Light; G. Chesneworth, Yale; C. Johnson, E. Taeubert and F. P. Huthbert, Indian; E. Kehl, Racycle; E. Shockley, Torpedo; L. Lagrille, Navajo.

Thirteenth event—Consolation race for non-winners only.

TRY-OUTERS ARE NOW CALLED OFF.

Rather than cut into a much-needed vacation and take the chance of ruining his health, which is not of the best at present, Manager McCarey yesterday afternoon declared off the try-out fight card that had been arranged for the Pacific Club for Tuesday night, September 13.

McCarey had just started on his vacation when he was called back by the death of his servant girl, who found a lot of ant poison on a top shelf of a pantry and ate it. This was enough to rattle the nerves of any well man and for fear that the try-out card might further break into his time, McCarey decided to cut it out. This, of course, means that there will be no local boxing show until September 17, when Gans and Jimmy Burns are scheduled to fight and this card would have to be changed, if Gans should lose to Britt.

This postponement of the try-outs came yesterday just about the time that a telegram was received from Kyle Whitney that he would agree to fight Chambers. This bout was originally intended to be the main event of the six that were carded and it may be put on as the preliminary for the Gans-Burns contest, providing that one goes through.

McCarey will probably leave next week for Ventura county and as Jimmy Burns has gone to San Francisco to be present at the Britt-Gans fight, things pugilistic will be quiet here until the latter part of the coming week.

BRITT-GANS FIGHT.

BOTH MEN NEAR WEIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—Jimmy Britt, who has been doing more strenuous work for his coming battle with Joe Gans than he ever did for any previous ring engagement, began to taper off in his indoor work today. He will continue to do his road work every morning so as to reach 133 pounds without being obliged to strain in an effort to do so on the last two days. When he finished his ten-mile jog on the road this forenoon, accompanied by Bill Squires, he went on the scales and registered 135 pounds.

Gans put in a stiff hour this morning on the road and will go into the gym for a brief spell this afternoon. On the surface the Baltimorian appears to be as hard as ever and unless all signs fail he ought to enter the ring feeling strong and active. He is down to 134½ pounds and says he can dry out the rest of the weight in half a day if necessary.

There is considerable betting on Britt and the price which is still 10 to 7 with Gans the favorite, may switch at any moment. The advance sale indicates a record-breaking crowd.

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SCHRIEBER ARRIVES.

Bookmaker and Horse Owner Comes to Confer With Baldwin About Proposed Arcadia Track.

Barney Schreiber, the bookmaker and horse owner, who is said to be interested in the proposed race track out on Lucky Baldwin's Arcadia ranch, arrived here yesterday morning to confer with Baldwin about the track, but learned that Baldwin was at Lake Tahoe. It appears that George Rose and Schreiber want to control the proposed track and if Baldwin agrees to this scheme, work will probably be rushed on the track and a winter race meeting attempted. Everything is in the air at the present time, however.

CARD AT SHEEPSHEAD.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY, Sept. 6.—Results:

Six furlongs, Futurity course: Rialto won, Ben Fleet second, Blue Point third; time, 1:14 1-5.

One mile: Royal Lady won, Clare Russell second, Killiecrankie third; time, 1:40 1-5.

Mile and a quarter: Right Royal won, Missouri Lad second, Cairngoorm third; time, 2:07.

One mile: Electioneer won, Kentucky Beau second, Ampedo third; time, 1:39 4-5.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Beacon Light won, Miss Crawford second, Acrobat third; time, 1:59.

Five and one-half furlongs: Arabee won, Miss Delaney second, Sun Gleam third; time 1:07.

No Golf Today.

According to the announcement last night of M. J. Connell of the green committee of the Los Angeles Country Club, there will be no golf today at the club, notwithstanding the previous announcement that the preliminary round for the president's cup would be played today. Connell now says that the green committee has decided to postpone the cup play until the latter week in November.

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ANTWERP PASSENGERS NERVOUS

Striking Dock Hands Parade Streets to Enlist Public Sympathy, but the Situation Is Calm.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANTWERP, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The situation today is calm. The dockers are parading the streets with cartloads of provisions trying to enlist public sympathy.

Typical scenes are presented by the civic guards escorting trucks and merchandise to and from steamers. Passengers arriving here to leave on the regular line steamer tomorrow are nervous, after reading the alarming reports in the papers.

Many visitors are leaving the hotels. All this, however, is absolutely necessary as the central and industrial portions of the city are entirely unaffected.

JAPANESE BADGE FOR [illegible]

Emperor Nicholas, for First Time in War, Lets Premier Wear [illegible] of Nipon.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 6.—Emperor Nicholas has given Premier Stolypin permission to wear the Japanese order of the Rising Sun, bestowed upon him by the Emperor of Japan.

This is the first time in time of war that the Emperor has granted such a request.

WE WIN AGAIN.

GRAY SHUTS OUT SEALS.

Allows Long's Men but Four Scattered Swats.

Succeeds in Fanning Out Ten of the Victims.

No Hits Made Off Him Until Seventh Inning.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When Henry Berry heard that none of the big league moguls had drafted his star pitcher, Dolly Gray, he smiled, but after yesterday's game he laughed aloud and well he might, for the good-looking southpaw twirled one of those games that are worth seeing, and it was mainly due to his great work in the box the Seals were prevented from even dusting the plate, let alone from getting anywhere near it.

For the first six innings nary a hit and runs made off Gray and it was only in the last rounds when he began to size up that the Seals found the ball, but the hits availed them nothing, for the Los Angeles man generally found the following batters when runs began to look bad.

Jimmy Long kept his promise to the fans and trotted out Barney Joy to do the hurling for his team, but the big fellow disappointed his fair admirers by pitching the poorest kind of ball.

Somehow Barney could not locate the plate, walking eight men, and once he did some southern man took a wallop at it. Then he made two bad throws to first base which were very disastrous.

As told, Barney had a very, very bad day of it. Bernard, the first man up in the first inning, walked, and Dolan hit for a single and it looked as if something was going to be done, but Dillon hit into a double play and ended the chances of the locals.

Then in the third inning they broke up the game. Bernard was passed and stole second on a sacrifice by Carroll. Dillon singled and a pass to Brashear filled the bags. Brashear stole, scoring the captain and the pitcher, and when he started to steal second Barney threw the ball so far away that Cravath had no trouble scoring the plate.

In the seventh Bernard received his fourth pass to first and went to second on an infield poke by Carlisle and then to third when Barney made another error. Dillon laid down a neat bunt and Curtis ran over the plate with the fourth run of the game.

Williams and Street livened things up for the Seals in their half of the ninth by getting a single and a double, but Gray fanned and the only run the Seals for a tally was gone.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brashear, 3	4	1	3	0	2	1	4	1
Dillon, c	4	0	2	1	9	0	0	0
Curtis, r	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Carroll, l	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, 2	4	0	1	1	1	1	1	0
Street, s	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Joy, p	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Dolan, m	4	0	0	0	2	0	11	2	0
Gray, p	4	0	0	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	33	2	7	2	18	7	9	1

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bernard, r	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dolan, m	3	0	0	0	1	2	1	0
Cravath, l	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Dillon, c	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
Carlisle, 2	4	0	1	0	2	3	1	0
Curtis, r	3	0	1	0	2	1	0	0
Barney, p	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Williams, 3	3	0	0	0	1	2	2	0
Street, s	3	0	0	0	2	2	2	0
Totals	29	0	2	0	11	15	7	0

Batted for Joy in eighth inning.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Earned runs—Los Angeles, 1; San Francisco, 0.									

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Street, Williams.
Sacrifice hits—Carlisle, Dillon.
First base on called balls—Off Gray, 5; off Barney, 1.
Struck out—By Gray, 10; by Joy, 7.
Double plays—Street to Williams; Bernard to Carlisle to Williams.
Time of game—1h. 55m.
Umpires—Perine and Moore.

OAKLAND SLIDING DOWN.

BEAVERS HAVE A PICNIC.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.—Wright was in today, and Portland availed itself of the opportunity to win. Score:

Portland, 5; hits, 10; errors, 0.
Oakland, 1; hits, 9; errors, 2.
Batteries—Kinsella and Byrnes; Wiltse and Bliss.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

PHILLIES BEAT PHILLIES TWICE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—New York took both games of a double-header with Philadelphia today. Scores:

New York, 6; hits, 9; errors, 1.
Philadelphia, 5; hits, 11; errors, 3.
Batteries—Taylor, McGinnity and Bowerman; Corridon, Richie and Jacklitsch.

Second game:

New York, 2; hits, 3; errors, 0.
Philadelphia, 0; hits, 3; errors, 2.
Batteries—Mathewson and Bresnahan; Rowan and Doolin.

HARD HITTING CONTEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 6.—Pittsburgh won today from Chicago in a hard hitting game. Score:

Pittsburgh, 4; hits, 11; errors, 0.
Chicago, 6; hits, 12; errors, 2.
Batteries—Leifield, Leever and Gibson; Fraser and Moran.

TEN-INNING TIE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BROOKLYN, Sept. 6.—The Bostons and Brooklyn played ten innings to a 3 to 3 tie today. Score:

Boston, 3; hits, 7; errors, 2.
Brooklyn, 3; hits, 5; errors, 4.
Batteries—Moultes and Needham; Ritter, Rucker and Bergen, Pitter.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

SENATORS LOSE TWO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Boston took both games of today's double-header. Score:

First game:
Washington, 9; hits, 16; errors, 0.
Boston, 3; hits, 10; errors, 2.
Batteries—Young and Criger; Patterson and Warner.

Second game:
Washington, 7; hits, 7; errors, 1.
Boston, 2; hits, 9; errors, 1.
Batteries—Hughes and Shaw; Falkenberg and Stack.

DETROIT'S HITS WIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CLEVELAND, Sept. 6. — Detroit batted out nine on Cleveland today

Heinie Spies, who becomes rejuvenated as an "amateur" today.

and won easily by hard batting. Score:

Detroit, 7; hits, 12; errors, 0.
Cleveland, 4; hits, 7; errors, 2.
Batteries—Donovan and Schmidt; Rhoades and Clarke.

HIGHLANDERS DROP TWO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6.—Philadelphia made it two straight today from New York in a double-header. Scores:

First game:
Philadelphia, 6; hits, 6; errors, 1.
New York, 4; hits, 7; errors, 1.
Batteries—Plank and Powers; Orth and Thomas.

Second game:
Philadelphia, 6; hits, 6; errors, 2.
New York, 2; hits, 6; errors, 7.
Batteries—Dygert and Schreck; Hogg and Kleinow.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

GAME AT CHUTES PARK.

An amateur game of unusual interest is to be played at Chutes Park this afternoon at 3 o'clock, between the Hoegees and Morans, with line-ups that include several well-known professionals. Bergeman, the ex-Looloo twirler, has been signed by Manager Goodman, of the Hoegees, and will be in the game today. For the Morans, Raleigh will preside, and Heinie Spies will be on second.

Scotty Allen says that the condemnation of the end bleachers by the police will not interfere with the game, as there are plenty of seats in the safe bleachers and in the grand stand.

EDISON TEAM FIRST.

LOST BUT THREE GAMES.

In the Mercantile League series, which ended last Wednesday night by the official abandonment of the last game by the Pacific Mutuals, the Edison Electric team won fifteen games and lost three. Outside of the league schedule, the Edisons won five and did not lose any.

The Edisons are to play the leaders in the Southern Coast League at Chutes Park, Monday, for a side bet. Santa Monica has the pennant in the Southern Coast League practically won, and a great game is promised between the two first place winners.

Andrade, the Santa Monica twirler who has made an enviable record this season, will be pitted against Reinhard, who pitched all but two of the games won by the Edisons this year. Last year Reinhard pitched for the Y.M.C.A. team, which captured the pennant in the Mercantile League. Reinhard pitched for the University of California two years ago, in his first year in college. He expects to return to the university next year.

A game is being arranged between the Edisons and Oscar Chavez's Santa Barbara aggregation. It probably will be played next Saturday, and the Edison players will go to the Channel City in a special car, accompanied by a large crowd of rooters, and the officers of the company. This will be the closing game of the season for the Edison players.

CLUBS' STANDING.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pc.
Los Angeles	134	78	56	.582
San Francisco	140	80	60	.527
Oakland	146	76	70	.521
Portland	135	49	86	.363

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pc.
Chicago	127	91	36	.717
Pittsburgh	125	76	49	.608
New York	123	72	51	.585
Philadelphia	120	65	55	.542
Brooklyn	128	60	68	.469
Cincinnati	126	52	74	.413
Boston	119	45	74	.378
St. Louis	127	38	99	.299

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pc.
Philadelphia	123	75	48	.610
Detroit	121	73	48	.604
Chicago	125	73	52	.584
Cleveland	124	72	52	.581
New York	123	54	67	.455
Boston	126	56	70	.444
St. Louis	123	50	71	.413
Washington	119	36	82	.305

Athletic Club Practice.

The first practice of the Los Angeles Athletic Club team will occur on Sunday, September 15, when two picked teams will line up against each other, under the direction of Coach Reilly. The game will probably be played at Chutes Park.

Off for King's River.

Sam Smith, Bert Brady, L. W. Slocum, Ed Mitchell, Guy and Al Lovelace and A. Wilson will comprise a party that is to start this evening for a two weeks' hunting and fishing trip to the Kings River Cañon, which is a real hunters' paradise. They go first to the ranch of Guy Lovelace near Traver in Tulare county, and will devote Monday and Tuesday to black bass fishing.

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Men's 75c Golf Shirts this morning..... 39c

Very good patterns of madras and percale; sizes 14 to 17; cuffs attached or detached; regular 75c values this morning 39c.

Men's Balbriggan 50c Underwear.... 25c (Saturday 8 to 9)

Men's 4-in-hand Ties—25c Values.. 19c This morning.

Women's 50c Stockings at... 25c

Lace and embroidered, today 8 to 9 a.m.; black and white. Section E.

Women's 50c Union Suits..... 25c From 8 to 9 only.

Women's 75c Emb'd Stockings... 50c All morning.

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With quality as our guiding star, we have been building a business for permanency on Broadway at Seventh. When the Saturday closing commenced, we determined to do a regular Saturday's business in half a day. You know how we have succeeded, the tremendous reductions we have made week after week. This week another great price upheaval that will turn an even stronger stream of trade to Bullock's.

600 Children's Wash Dresses Half

Close to Half and Less—From 8 to 10 a.m.

Our entire line; every style, high and low neck effects, long or short sleeves, all sizes.

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$2.50 Silk Girdle Corsets, 8 to 10.. $1.00

Made of a fine moire taffeta in white, pink and light blue; sizes 18 to 24, fourth floor, $1.00.

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And the price is but a small part of their attractiveness. Remarkably good patterns, new effects, perfect fitting late fall suits. Here in time to arouse Saturday enthusiasm. New browns, grays, stripes, checks and mixtures; fancy worsteds, velours, tweeds, blue serges, black Thibets, single or double breasted, this morning at $9.75. Third floor.

Boys' New Suits At..... $3.50

WITH TWO PAIRS OF PANTS.

Sizes 7 to 17 years; double breasted coat with belt; one pair of straight and one pair of knickerbocker pants with each suit; new colors and patterns; Russian and sailor suits for the little fellows of 2½ to 10 years, $3.50. Third floor.

Boys' 50c Shirts..... 25c

Soft golf shirts with two separate collars; excellent colors that will wash well; sizes 12 to 14.

Boys' 40c Knee Pants... 25c

Knee pants in sizes 4 to 15 years; sturdy materials, fine for school wear; neat colors and patterns, 25c.

Bullock's Exclusive Hats For Men

New Styles.. $2.00

We believe they are equal to any $2.50 or $3.00 hats that are shown around town; smart, snappy shapes and all new styles and shades. 3d floor; see them.

All Wash Goods Remnants at Half Price Fourth Floor

6 Fruit Napkins.... 19c Regularly 60c dozen.

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10c Bath Towels at..... 6¼c Size 17x36. Limit 4. Fourth floor.

25c Witch Hazel..... 15c

15c Peroxide Hydrogen..... 12c

30c Pozzoni Powder at..... 25c

All Mirrors at Half Price

35c Seeley's Perfumes..... 25c Section D.

13c Writing Tablets..... 8c Filled plump with famous Eaton-Hurlbut paper.

5c Envelopes Limit 5..... 2c Sizes 6¼x3.

10c Leather Post Cards..... 5c

25c Ink at 15c. Section D.

Kiropodist Kures Korns

And relieves other foot troubles. 4th floor. Corn treatment. 25cts.

50 Pieces 50c and 65c Silks 25c yd.

Plain 50c poplins, 58c and 65c foulards, 50c and 65c fancy silks. This morning 25c. Section A. $1.25 35-inch black taffeta 98c.

$1.50 to $1.95 Corset Covers (10 styles)..... $1.00

Just from 8 to 10; round, square or V-yoke effect, bright, fresh and new; our regular $1.50, $1.75 and $1.95 styles. This morning, fourth floor, $1.00.

$14.50 and $17.50 Trunks at.... $11.95

Cleaning up several sturdy styles. Quality, strength and durability mark Bullock's trunks, and make them very extra at regular prices; remarkable economies this morning, as stated above, $11.95. Third Floor.

$4.50 Leather and Keratol Suit Cases..... $3.45 Third Floor.

Basement, This Morning

Hermis 25c Fruit Press..... 15c

Mrs. Vrooman's 25c Sink Strainer 15c

3-Piece 25c Mush Set..... 15c Plate, saucer and pitcher.

48c Alcohol Stove at..... 35c

50 Feet $3.85 Garden Hose..... $3 Complete with nozzle.

98c Lindsay Gas Lights..... 75c Complete with mantle and globe.

HAYNE WINS GOLF.

DEL MONTE, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] R. Y. Hayne was the winner in the finals for the Del Monte golf cup for men. He defeated R. E. Hanford handily with four up and three to go and gained his place in the finals by consistent work. Mrs. J. Leroy Nickel took the ladies' handicap event, beating Miss West in the finals, three up and two.

Mrs. Bruce, the defeated member of the Sutton family in tennis, will not go home without laurels; beaten by her sister in the family game, she proved her versatility by winning the handicap foursomes with Dr. Skaife. The winning team received a handicap of thirty strokes medal play, the heaviest allowed, and came out with the best net score, 71. In the Del Monte cup for women golf finals, Mrs. J. Leroy Nickel, of the San Francisco Golf Club, beat Miss West, three and two.

Handicap mixed foursomes, medal play, net scores: Mrs. B. O. Bruce and Dr. Skaife, 71 (handicap 3;) Mrs. Gilmore and W. B. Walton, 75 (14;) Mrs. Warner and F. Bement, 76 (24;) Mrs. Hanford and J. Lawson, 80 (6;) Mrs. Sherwood and H. W. Sherwood, 81 (9;) Mrs. Nickel and J. S. Oyster, 82 (9;) Mrs. George and C. Stewart, 83 (16;) Mrs. Eastland and T. A. Driscoll, 85 (22;) Mrs. Hewitt and E. W. Hilegas, 85 (20;) Miss West and A. C. Denman, 87 (16;) Mrs. Martin and R. Y. Hayne, 87 (scratch;) Miss Morgan and C. T. Crocker, 88 (16;) Mrs. Folger and J. A. Folger, 89 (16;) Miss Alkire and M. M. Millice, 92 (20;) Miss Crocker and F. W. McNear, 95 (24;) Miss Havemeyer and C. F. Tubbs, 98 (7;) Miss Bourn and Douglass Grant, 99 (16.)

MAY DESTROY HOSPITAL.

San Francisco Officials Driven to Quick Action by Bubonic Plague—Patients to Be Moved.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—A conference of the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Health and many prominent physicians of city and State, was held tonight to discuss the plague situation.

Much discussion was had on the question of whether or not the city and county hospital should be destroyed. It was finally decided that all inmates should be removed from the building and sheltered in various places.

The non-contagious patients may be sent to other hospitals, and the suspected patients will be isolated in remote districts after proper arrangements are made for comfortable keeping.

The details were left to the Board of Health and to the Federal givernment representatives. When action is taken, the matter of the future of the old hospital will be decided upon.

STREET IS SURPRISED.

Harriman Gets Up What Is Considered Remarkable Proxy for Union Pacific Meeting.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Union Pacific stockholders today expressed great surprise at the form of proxy which E. H. Harriman had sent out for the annual meeting of the company, to be held in Salt Lake City October 2.

Mr. Harriman asks for authority not only to elect directors, but to vote for any resolution that may come before the meeting ratifying and approving all of the acts of the board of directors since the last annual meeting.

Wall street men said the form of proxy is one of the most remarkable that has ever been sent out in the financial district.

LAST LETTER TELLS OF PROPOSED TRIP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Sept. 6.—The last direct news from the Duchess of Bedford party was dated "Near Baxter Island, Nov. 1," and it was received in April last.

At that time Capt. Mikkelsen and Leffingwell were on their way to Herschell Island, and it is generally understood that this was their last visit to that place. The intention when the party left Victoria was to remain in winter quarters until the spring, when Mikkelsen, Leffingwell and another intended to make a journey to the Northwestward over the ice to make soundings with a view to the discovery of unknown land believed to exist in the Beaufort Sea.

The Duchess of Bedford, when she left here, took food prepared in sealed tins, each of which contained a week's food. These tins were especially prepared for handling during the trip. In the last letter written by Mr. Leffingwell in November he said the journey over the ice was to be started in March last and was expected to occupy two months. Mr. Leffingwell said:

"Next March Capt. Mikkelsen and I shall make a two months' trip north over the ice from Flaxman Island to explore that area. There is a good prospect of discovering land there. It has been reported by whalers the tide indicates it and the fact that ice never leaves the shore for more than a few miles. These all point to land not more than a hundred miles away. In June or July, I hope to go up the Kagua River to do some geological work. When navigation opens up in August we shall sail to Herschell Island and call for mail, thence to Banks land and make our sled trip west over the ice as was our original programme."

DINNER TO EMPLOYEES.

Denver Woman Entertains Maids, Butlers, Footmen and Chauffeurs of Self and Friends.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Walter Farwell, one of the most prominent women of Denver, has demonstrated her democracy in a manner so startling as to cause society to stand agape. Mrs. Farwell gave a dinner to the "help." In this category she included all the maids, butlers, footmen and chauffeurs employed by herself and friends.

The dinner was a tremendous success. The guests conducted themselves with the utmost decorum as if to the manner born and the lavish appointments and sumptuous repast were by no means wasted.

Mrs. Farwell is a sister of Mrs. Chatfield-Chatfield Taylor and Mrs. Reginald DeKoven.

By the explosion of a lamp in an upstairs room, the two young children of Aaron Anderson of Cowan Hollow, Pa., were burned to death. Anderson and his aged mother were helplessly ill, and were burned so badly that they, too, probably will die.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—The annual meeting of the First Baptist Church of Los Angeles will be held at the church on Tuesday evening, September 17, at 8 o'clock. D. R. CHESTER, Church clerk.

HOUSE PAINTING, PAPERING, GLAZING; 36-inch burlaps, 25c; 36-inch natural, 30c; paper and border for 12-foot room, $1; best paint, $1.50; shingle stain, 75c; molding, new opaque shades, etc. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

DEAFNESS RELIEVED. By the use of the Massacon or Acousticon (instruments, exhibited free, trial at general agents, MARSHUTZ OPTICAL CO., 138 S. Spring. Catalogue mailed free.

PERSONAL—LADIES, USE DR. LA FRANCO'S Compound; safe, speedy regulator, 25c; druggists or mail; booklet and testimonials free. DR. LA FRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

STETSON HATS, $3.45. Or any hat of good material reblocked like new. FLICKER HAT WORKS, 218 Franklin, 216 W. 7th. Both phones.

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NOTICE—PANAMA OR FELT HATS MADE like new, 50c up. Factory, 214 N. BDWY.

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PERSONAL—THE LAVOI— Hair Dressing Parlor. Hair bleaching and dyeing. Vibrator used, scalp and facial treatment, freckles and blemishes removed, bust developing and chiropody. Nothing but first-class patronage solicited. 264 Mercantile Place, room 24. F1376.

PERSONAL — A LIBERAL REWARD WILL be paid for the address of Mrs. H. Mondon, formerly of Alameda street, Pasadena, and Altadena, now supposed to be in Los Angeles. Address MISS GRACE PHILLIPS, Times office, Pasadena.

PERSONAL—PERIN, GREATEST LIVING palm reader and astrologer will advise and read your future. Send two cent stamp for instructions CARL L. PERIN, 1402 Broadway, New York.

PERSONAL—A QUANTITY OF LADIES' and children's sample hats, Panama, Leghorn, Neapolitan, Milan and felt; trimmed and untrimmed; away below cost. 216 WINSTON ST.

PERSONAL—MRS. WESLEY, RELIABLE life reader and medium. Advice on all affairs of life. 3014½ S. Spring st. Parlors 11 and 12.

PERSONAL—MR. FROBOCH, JUST RECEIVED letter today, write again, same address, MRS. MILLER. Gen'l. delivery.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, CARD reader. Ladies 25c, gents 50c. 308½ S. Spring.

WANTED—Help, Male.

WANTED—ENGINEER, STEADY JOB, $75; give telephone number, age, married or single. Address R, box 90, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MARKER AND distributor. NEW METHOD LAUNDRY, 6th and San Julian sts.

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WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS MACHINIST. Address 410 WEST 5TH ST., Santa Ana, Cal.

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HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Elevator boys, $15 etc.; camp flunky, fare adv., $35 etc.; short-order and dinner cook, $60 etc.; meat and pastry cook, Nevada, $75 etc.; man and wife, cook and helper, $90 etc., short-order cook Arizona, $18 etc.; second cook, Arizona, $14 etc.; porter, Nevada, $75; colored waiter, $30 etc.; yard man, $30; all-round baker, small hotel, $12 etc.; waiter, city, $20.

WANTED—
Young man, experienced gents' furnishings, Fresno, $75.

Shoe salesman, Southern Arizona, $90 and advancement.

Two competent stenographers, commercial house, Arizona, $90 and $100.

Young man, some stenography, timekeeping and general office work, ice and cold storage plant, 200 miles from city, $75.

Drug salesman, thoroughly experienced, Douglas, Arizona, $200.

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WANTED—WOOD WORKING MACHINE man; must understand jointers and surfacers and keep knives and saws in first-class shape; none but thoroughly competent men of good habits need apply. Phone MAIN 2358.

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WANTED — SALESMAN WITH REFERences can make from $20 to $50 a week soliciting for the Commoner; salary or commission. 607-611 DELTA BLDG., 424 South Spring st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR DELIVERY wagon and to make himself generally useful around fruit and grocery store; references required. MONTGOMERY & TONE, 758 S. Hill.

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WANTED — SALESMAN ACQUAINTED with paint business to sell for local manufacturing house. Address R, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — HELPER ON FURNITURE wagons and in stock; only men having some experience need apply. OVERELL'S, 7th and Main sts.

WANTED — THE FRATERNAL HOSPITAL Association wants four more good solicitors. Rooms 422-440 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

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WANTED—A MAN IN EVERY HOUSE IN city or country; can make from $20 to $25 a week. Address B. M., box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be first-class cook; three in family; wages $25 per mo. PHONE WEST 2076.

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WANTED—A WAITRESS, EXPERIENCE not necessary. Call 551 BUENA VISTA ST. Main 4305.

WANTED — A MAID FOR GENERAL house work in family of four. Apply 240 WILCOX BLDG.

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HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
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Hotel waitresses, city and country, $25, $30, $40 mo.; chambermaids, $20, $25 mo. and up; 2 housegirls, $20 to $40 mo.; cappy cook, 5 hen, $30 mo.; family cook, $30 mo.; girl for grocery store, $25 mo.; ranch cook, Nevada, $50 mo. Many other good positions.

WANTED — WHY SEARCH THE CITY for a position; we will secure a position for you and you may pay commission as you earn the money. 328 TRUST BLDG., 2nd and Spring.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER WHO knows the city thoroughly. Must be neat in appearance, not over 30 years of age, able to meet the public and thoroughly experienced in office work. Permanent position at a good salary with a first-class concern. Apply ROOM 211 Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg., 3rd and Main sts.

WANTED — WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework in Coronado. San Diego car. Wages, $30 a month, fare both ways. Only downstairs work expected. Two in family and two children. Two other servants kept. Small house. Apply Saturday, 7th, between 2 p.m. and 11 a.m., to R. FROST, Van Nuys Hotel.

WANTED — A BRIGHT ATTRACTIVE young lady of good looks and neat appearance as saleslady; must be refined and educated and able to hustle; experience not necessary if you can fill the bill and deliver the goods. Call between hours of 10 and 1. Mgr. OWL DRUG STORE, 5th and Broadway.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED salesladies for the following departments in large Los Angeles department store; one as corset fitter; one to sell gloves; one to sell kodak supplies. Must be young, single, neat appearing women. Apply ROOM 211 Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg., 3rd and Main sts.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED AND RELIable stenographer and bookkeeper (man or woman) in office at Fresno; permanent job and chance to grow. Inquire at 353 SOUTH BROADWAY, Room 208, or Phone Home A4259.

WANTED—WE HAVE PLACED SEVERAL this week in good positions. See us today. We may have what you are looking for. GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY., 238 I. W. Heilman Bldg., 411 S. Main st.

WANTED—GIRL STENOGRAPHER ABOUT 18, with education and address, to assist in large office; salary $6 a week. Address, in own handwriting, stating experience. Address R, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — AT ONCE, A YOUNG GIRL for general housework in family of four; English girl preferred; good wages. BOX 413, SANTA MONICA, Cal., or 427 CALIFORNIA ST., Santa Monica.

WANTED — 50 GIRLS OR WOMEN FOR cannery near town; good wages; free rent; also steady employment for laborers. Apply McKINLEY & FEUFIER, 909 E. 3rd st.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHOCOLATE dippers and experienced bon-bon dippers; also girls in the candy and cracker department. KAHN-BECK CO., 400 Aliso st.

WANTED — A THOROUGHLY RELIABLE woman for hall and chamber work, at HOTEL BRUNSON, 347 S. Grand ave. Work permanent if satisfactory. Apply today.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, 20 CERTIFICATED teachers for rural schools, salary $70 to $75. CO-OPERATIVE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION, 406 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER and stenographer for large concern in good town north; salary $60 to start. Apply today. Manager in town, 525 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—AN EFFICIENT STENOGRAPHer, who has some understanding of bookkeeping; none without experience need apply. Address D, box 190, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—REFINED GIRL FOR HOUSEwork; one who will appreciate a good home; small family. Call at 1820 VAN NESS AVE. Take Venice or Santa Monica car.

WANTED — AT ONCE, SALESLADIES, experienced general lines dry goods; state references. Self-addressed envelope for reply DRAWER M., Ocean Park.

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WANTED — NEAT, YOUNG GIRL WITH pleasant personality to assist with child and do some mending; references required. Call mornings. 1035 W. 7TH ST.

WANTED—STRONG YOUNG GIRL FOR general housework in small family; good wages. Call Home phone E1782, or 142 S. WILCOX AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED — PLAIN COOK, GENERAL housework, 2 in family, no washing, middle-aged woman who wants good home preferred. $20. Phone SOUTH 3194.

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WANTED—WOMAN WHO UNDERSTANDS cooking and general housework; German or Swede preferred; apply immediately. 132 E. 28TH ST.

WANTED — SALESLADY FOR LEATHER goods and ladies' furnishing department; must have experience. J. M. HALE CO., 107 N. Spring st.

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WANTED — A LADY IN EVERY HOUSE in city or country, can make from $10 to $50 a week. Apply B. M., box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — A COMPETENT NURSE GIRL to take care of small child and do small washing; German or English preferred; wages $20. PHONE F1784.

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL house work family of four; must be a good cook. 421 ST. PAUL AVE. Take West 6th st. car, wide vestibule.

WANTED — WAITRESS, THE BRUNSON, 347 S. GRAND AVE. Call Monday.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHAMBERmaid. 426 S. HILL. Occidental Hotel.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at 2460 DALTON AVE.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. CALL 446 CENTRAL AVE.

WANTED—NURSE FOR CHILDREN. 1131 LAKE ST. Phone E1382.

WANTED — WOMAN TO DO HOUSEWORK. Phone BOYLE 1699.

WANTED—A WAITRESS AT 309 S. GRAND AVE.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED BOOKkeeper for an important business house. Do not answer unless with first-class references as to both capacity and character. Address K. J., Box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TEACHER FOR A NEARBY school at $80; begin Monday. Apply at once to FISK TEACHERS' AGENCY, 238 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED — COMPETENT STENOGRAPHers to register with us for positions; no registrations fee required. PACIFIC STENOGRAPHIC CO., 345 Pacific Electric Bldg.

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WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER AND GENERAL office man, years coast standing, now engaged with large concern; wants permanent change for the better. Under 40, married and with highest bank and commercial city references following same experience. Address S, box 40, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD JAPANESE WISHES position in clothing store or any, as sales helper for Japanese people; also to do light janitor work. Address R, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GERMAN, 24, EXPERT BOOKkeeper, 5 years experience, speaking English German and French; wants position, best of references. Address R, box 94, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AN HONEST JAPANESE BOY attending business college desires to position as a schoolboy in the city only. YOSHIMATSU KIZU, 113 S. San Pedro st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 24, WISHES position as assistant bartender, has 3 years experience; can furnish best of references. Address R, box 88, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION; AN ALL-AROUND planing mill man, No. 1 estimator, capable of taking full charge, at liberty soon. Address R, box 31, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS JAPANESE cook wants position in a private family; best of references; wages $40 up. Address AHARA, 136 W. 9th st.

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WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED STENographer and office man, reliable and well recommended. Address P, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS AMALGAmator and mill man, 20 years' experience, wants a job. Address P, box 184, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE — ROOMING HOUSE, 10 HOUSEkeeping rooms, 9 furnished; rent $30; price $400 cash; please call in forenoon. 1114 S. OLIVE.

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FOR SALE—
25 acres improved near Benedict on the Santa Ana car line.
3-room house, barn, chicken house, all fenced. Horse, buggy, harness, etc. and 175 chickens. Part of land in walnuts and part in grain and garden truck. Good water facilities. Price $3500; terms $2000 cash, balance within two years.
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FOR SALE—
I have for sale for only $750 an acre of land right on the Long Beach car line, and only 30 minutes from 6th and Main sts.
This price includes an artesian well. Soil will grow nearly anything that will thrive in Southern California.
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FRUIT, TRUCK AND BERRY LANDS.
RANCHES, 2½ TO 20 ACRES.
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320 ACRES, SMOOTH LAND WITHIN 5 MILES OF NEW $1,000,000 SUGAR BEET FACTORY AT CORCORAN. PRESENT OWNERS FORCED TO SELL. PRICE $30 PER ACRE. SOME ONE WILL MAKE MONEY ON THIS. BE QUICK. W. C. CAMPBELL & CO., F7202.

FOR SALE—NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET 40 acres homestead of nice level valley land, 45 miles from Los Angeles, for $125; land is near railroad shipping station; plenty water can be had; call around and I will explain why this land should bring $250 per acre in one year's time. OSBURN, 538 Chamber of Commerce. Phone A6869.

FOR SALE—
Can you spare $5 a month? If so, investigate "HOME ACRES"—$150 for 5 acres, $5 down and $5 per month. Every dollar invested is worth five. Money back any time. In the San Joaquin Valley, richest in the world. Phone, write or call, D. L. PETERS, No. 214 H. W. Heilman Bldg.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—TEN ACRES, clear, with ten shares of water stock, adjoining well improved ranches of oranges, peaches and grapes. Also forty acres at Acton, Los Angeles county. Call for owner at H. G. COTTON & CO.'S, 222 H. W. Heilman Bldg.

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FOR SALE— Country Property.

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A WHOLE ACRE ONLY $650.
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The garden will make your payments. The soil is the best. The water is more abundant than at any other known place in Greater Los Angeles. It is piped to you direct and costs you not a penny. The location is on the Long Beach Boulevard, on the way to the biggest beach city in California, and only 30 minutes from 6th and Main streets via two fast car lines.
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All this property between the city and the sea is falling into the hands of capitalists. When your acre grows too valuable for home and garden, you can cut it up into lots and sell each lot for more than the acre costs you now.
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AM NOW HERE IN THE CITY READY TO TALK OVER A POSSIBLE SALE. I HAVE NO DESIRE TO WASTE YOUR TIME; NEITHER DO I WISH TO WASTE MY OWN ON SCHEMES OR SCHEMERS. IF YOU THINK WE HAVE SOMETHING WHICH MIGHT INTEREST YOU, WOULD BE PLEASED TO HEAR FROM YOU AT ONCE.
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FOR SALE—
$3000 WILL NET $40,000
IN 2 YEARS.
110 acres of the richest, best located land in the frostless orange belt of Southern California.
Pacific Electric railroad, main line, will pass through and have on this property a station for an established, prosperous city.
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For alfalfa, truck farming or oranges.
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FOR SALE—
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See C. FAULSEN VISEL, Rosslyn Hotel, Friday 7 to 9 a.m., 4 to 10 p.m.; Saturday 2 to 5 p.m.

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TULARE COUNTY LANDS.
SPECIAL.
25 ACRES ADJOINING A TOWNSITE, ON MAIN LINE OF SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD. WATER WITHIN 18 FEET. SOIL SUITABLE FOR ORANGES, GRAPES, FIGS, ALFALFA, ETC. ETC.
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FOR SALE—IN THE POULTRY COLONY and incubator town, a new poultry ranch, just completed; 4 rooms, plastered; 4 poultry buildings, a complete brooder house, etc.; one block from car line; price $350 down and $25 per month. ANNA L. PINKERTON, 535 Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

FOR SALE—HAVE A 5, A 7 AND A 10-acre chicken ranch, all highly improved, with house, barn and well. My prices and terms are right.
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404 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
To close up a trusteeship.
I will sell a beautiful
6-room bungalow and 2 lots.
Each 50x169 feet, with 10-year-old orange trees, at a very reasonable price.
The house is modern
in every respect.
Newly built, and was put up by day work; therefore is extra strong and well finished; cement work all in.
Immense pepper trees on street; near car line.
For further particulars write or call on ALEX. F. N. BOWERS, Trustee, corner S. Curtis and Commonwealth aves., Alhambra.

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN. LOT 45x247, with 6-room double tenement cottage; rents for $20 net. Lot 50x257, with 8-room cottage (outbuildings); rents for $25, and one lot 50x251 all for $3500; must have money at once. J. P. Day, Sherman, Cal.

FOR SALE — AT DOLGEVILLE, LOT 50x200 on west side Railroad ave., near Pepper st.; price $600 cash. H. C. STRATFORD, 6½ S. Hill st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE — SPRINGDALE, TWO ACRES near trolley; splendid for poultry; will sacrifice; trade considered. SHUTES, 254 S. Broadway. A6851.

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FOR SALE—
A BARGAIN IN PASADENA, ON LAKE AVE., JUST OFF COLORADO ST. THIS BUNGALOW IS MODERN. BATH, KITCHEN, DINING ROOM, PARLOR, BEDROOMS, AND INCLUDES ALL FURNITURE, SILVERWARE, PICTURES, AND EVERYTHING IS JUST RIGHT. YOU CAN MOVE INTO IT RIGHT AWAY. THE TITLE IS LOW, $2000, ON TERMS YOU SHOULD GET BUSY, AS IT WILL GO QUICK.
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FOR SALE—DESIRABLE
RESIDENCE LOTS, PASADENA.
Buena Vista st., and Raymond Hotel, about 170x388 feet; high-class residence neighborhood; some of the finest houses on same block. Address OWNER, box 767, CHICAGO.

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FOR SALE—
ALHAMBRA.
5-room, new, modern cottage, one block from High School, three blocks from business center; east front; good location; $2500—$300 or more cash, balance $25 per month. Husband now in East, wife must sell. If interested investigate this at once.
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Take San Gabriel car and get off at First street, Alhambra.

HOLLYWOOD.
FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN HOLLYwood; 5-room 1½-story house; rents for $25, and 3-room cottage rents for $15; hot water heaters, boilers, baths, toilets, gas ranges, electric lights, etc., in both houses; lot 60x150; flowers and trees; 6c car fare; 2 blocks from cars; 1½ blocks of business center; $2000; $900 cash, balance easy payments. Sunset phone Hollywood 441. Call for KROEGER.

FOR SALE— Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—
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PERSEEKING SHIP IS LOST.

ANGLO-AMERICAN EXPEDITION MEETS WITH REVERSES.

Bed Duchess of Bedford and Three Men Aboard Believed to Have Disappeared Forever—Were Looking for New Continent North of Mackenzie River.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] HERSCHEL HARBOR, (Canada) Sept. 6.—News of the probable loss of the schooner Duchess of Bedford, the vessel belonging to the Anglo-American Arctic Expedition, which had hopes of discovering a new continent north of the Mackenzie River, was brought here by Vilhjalmur Harrison who has been beyond the Arctic Circle for two years, and who arrived here on the steamer Midnight Sun.

Mr. Harrison says Ernest Stefansson of Harvard University, for whom the expedition has been named, himself brought the news of the loss of their vessel to Herschel Island. He also brought the news of the disappearance of three members of the party and expressed the fear that they had met death in the frozen North.

The missing men are Capt. Edmund Leffingwell, A. Dane, Ernest Leffingwell of Chicago, and J. Marks. They left the ship in February with sixty dogs in provision for the supposed land to the North, and had been gone several days and no news had been received from them.

Two of their teams of dogs had returned and it is feared the party will never be heard from again. The schooner Duchess of Bedford, Stefansson thinks, had probably sunk. The ship filled with water, probably from striking ice, but they had been able to remove everything of value to the shore.

TWICE BEFORE MADE VOYAGE INTO NORTH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] HERSCHEL ISLAND, Sept. 6.—Ernest Stefansson was instructor in ethnology in the Peabody Museum at Harvard University before leaving for the North last year. He is a Canadian, but has spent most of his life in the United States studied traces of ancient life in Alaska. He has twice made trips to Iceland in pursuit of his scientific researches.

Shortly before leaving Athabasca Landing Mr. Stefansson, after cutting down for the journey North with the least possible discarded everything except his cameras, rifle and notebook. He has plan to reach Herschel Island and there await the arrival of the members of the exploring party.

STEFANSSON BELIEVES THERE IS YET HOPE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6.—Capt. Ronald Amundsen was interviewed here in regard to the alarming news that the schooner Duchess of Bedford, upon which the Anglo-American Arctic Expedition, under Capt. Ellsworth, was making its way to the North, had been lost.

Mr. Amundsen said he believed the members of the expedition were alive. He said that in all likelihood they had taken time to save themselves and stores on the ice before their vessel sank. If this be so, they have with them provisions to last for seventy days. Altogether Capt. Amundsen takes a very hopeful view of the situation.

The American Arctic exploration expedition sailed from Victoria in May, 1906, on board the Duchess of Bedford to seek a large stretch of land believed to exist in Beaufort sea. There were fifteen persons all told, including Ernest Leffingwell, a Chicago geologist.

The expedition was last heard from in March of this year. The letters then received were dated November 21 and 22, 1906, and had been carried over the ice fields to Point Harrow, where they were delivered to the Canadian police.

HANDS ACROSS PACIFIC.

JAP DIPLOMAT TALKS PEACE.

NIPPON MIGHT TAKE PHILIPPINES AT BARGAIN.

Shino Morimato on Tour of America, Discusses Reason and Quality of Disturbances in Sunrise Kingdom—Believes Our Fleet Should Visit Pacific Coast.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Shino Morimato, member of the Japanese Parliament from the province of Hoyogo, the chief city of which is Kobe, is at the Hotel Belmont on a tour of the United States and Central America, undertaken to observe the conditions under which his people live and work abroad, and the chances for their advancement.

Mr. Morimato is a member of the Peace or "government" party, and since arriving in this country in the spring has visited the chief cities of the Pacific Coast, the Gulf and Panama. As a member of the peace party he takes the ground that there is no basis for near war with his country which he says is prosperously developing her trade and anxious to continue to do so.

In this connection he approves the sending of the American fleet to the Pacific, asserting that it is a peace move as it will demonstrate the mobility and power of the navy, and thereby diminish chance of war with any power.

"The people of Japan do not want trouble with the United States any more than your people want trouble with us," said Mr. Morimato.

"All the disturbances in Japan are due to the attempts of the party out of power to get in. We of the dominant party are radically opposed to anything that may even look like a war."

"Does Japan want the Philippines? Could it buy them if the United States were willing to sell?" he was asked.

"How much do you want for them?" he replied. When we trade that is the first thing asked. Perhaps if you marked them down cheap enough and made the bargain an attractive one, Japan might buy. Nations look for bargains like individuals, sometimes, but Japan does not want them so badly that she would fight for them."

EASTERN STAR ELECTS.

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Boys' 25c Waists	12½c

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Washington	87	62	75	Buffalo	76	56	66
Pittsburgh	74	54	64	Cincinnati	78	58	68
Chicago	70	58	64	St. Paul	74	57	65
St. Louis	78	64	71	Kansas City	72	62	67
Honolulu	82	70	76	Jacksonville	94	72	83
Los Angeles	73	55	64	Tacoma	71	58	65

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Sept. 6, 1907.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 30.00; for the corresponding hours the thermometer showed 56 deg. and 71 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 82 per cent.; 5 p.m., 40 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity, 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity, 12 miles. Maximum temperature, 75 deg.; minimum temperature, 55 deg. Possible sunshine, September 6, 12 hours, 42 minutes; actual sunshine, forenoon, September 6, 6 hours, 30 minutes. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The high pressure area which was central off the California Coast Thursday morning has advanced inland and now envelops the greater portion of the Pacific Slope. It has caused fair weather in most sections west of the Rocky Mountains during the last 24 hours, the only precipitation reported this morning being local showers of small amount in the inter-mountain region of the Northwest and along the Washington Coast. In the States between the Rocky Mountains and the Great Lakes the weather is controlled by a second high area, and no precipitation of consequence has occurred in that section. showers continue in the middle Atlantic and the New England States, due to a storm which is passing to sea through the St. Lawrence Valley.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; North to west winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—Fair weather prevails over the Pacific Slope, except in Southern Arizona. Light showers have fallen in the Rocky Mountain region, and a thunderstorm is reported from Flagstaff. The pressure has risen over the entire Coast. The temperature has remained nearly stationary in California, and risen over the plateau region. Conditions are favorable for fair weather Saturday in California and somewhat warmer in the valleys. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Saturday; light northwest wind.

Santa Clara Valley: Fair, warmer, Saturday; light north wind.

Sacramento Valley: Fair, warmer, Saturday; light north wind.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair, warmer Saturday; light north wind.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Saturday; light west wind.

Arizona: Fair Saturday and Sunday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 21.50 feet; yesterday, 21.85 feet.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Sept. 7, 1907.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,791,536.52. For the corresponding day of 1906, $1,639,093.61; for the same day of 1905, $1,961,417.15.

Monday	Holiday
Tuesday	$1,945,813.61
Wednesday	2,059,062.30
Thursday	1,985,892.06
Friday	1,791,536.52
Total	$9,034,327.20
Same time, last week	8,530,545.84
Same time, 1906	8,814,229.15

Following are the live quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ 28.87½	$ 27.75
Central	1.00	1.11
Continental	....	.15
Globe	.11½	.15
Mexican Petroleum	1.30	....
New Penn. Pet. Co.	1.15	1.30
Olinda Land Co.	.07½	....

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Broadway Bank & Trust	150.00	....
Central National	200.00	....
Citizens' National	225.00	255.00
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	320.00	....
First National	450.00	490.00
German-American Savings	295.00	320.00
Globe Savings Bank	107.00	114.00
Home Savings B'k of L. A. ($10,000 paid up.)	....	138.00
Manhattan Savings Bank	....	115.00
Merchants' National	450.00	....
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	100.00
National Bank of Cal.	....	200.00
The Southern Trust Co. ($1,000,000 paid up.)	69.75	73.00

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	76	....
Corona Power & Wt. Co.	....	93
Home Telephone Co.	79	81
L. A. Stove Co.	....	102
Pac. Light & Power Co.	96	102
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	95
Pomona Com. Water Co.	....	99
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	....	92
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	95
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	92
Temescal Water Co.	....	97

*Prices include accrued interest.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$65.00	....
Edison Electric, com.	....	20.00
Edison Elec. Co., pfd.	....	30.00
L. A. Athletic Club	30.50	....
L. A. Brewing Co.	....	100.00
L. A. Investment Co.	2.00	2.15

OFFICIAL SALES—200 Central Oil at 1.00; 10 Home Telephone pfd. at 85.00; 1000 Globe Oil at 12, Bid.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

Clark Con.	.05¾	.05¾
Kenyland Copper Co.	....	1.00
Cal. Hills M. Co.	.01	.01¼
Consolidated Mines Co.	.03½	.03¾
Johnnie District, Nye county—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.12¾	.13¾
Searchlight District—		
Nevada Searchlight	.05¼	.06
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	....	.07
Searchlight Western	.05	.07¼

OFFICIAL SALES—4000 Clark Copper at 5¼; 2000 Consolidated Mines at 3¾@3½; 4000 Consolidated Mines at 4%, 1000; 2000 Searchlight Western at 6¾; 6000 Johnnie Con. at 13¾.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

Trading was much improved yesterday, the majority of staple lines being in little more than adequate supply. Excepting the general run of vegetables prices were very firm. Buyers were anxious for goods, but many hesitated because of stiff figures. Most commodities were of extra fancy quality, with few choice and comparatively no soft goods. In the yards prices continued stationary with all goods cleaned up before noon.

There was no doubt as to the future of butter. Creamery extras were strong at 27½ cents and firsts at 25½. Dairy was on the upward at 20 cents, with cooking steady at 17. Oleo, extra fancy, was firm at 18@20 cents, with choice following at 16@18, and standard at 14@16 cents. The prevailing opinion is that butter is on the upward and will reach fancy prices. Very high prices were asked on call, with little offered and no anxiety to sell.

Eggs were in excellent request, fresh ranch preferred. The market closed strong with light receipts and prospective higher prices. Supplies from the East are daily dwindling and storage holdings are drawn on to meet the demand. The feeling exists for still better figures.

Receipts of cheese continued normal. Demand was steady with prices unchanged.

Chief interest of the fruit market was centered in apples. Belledeur's were very scarce and in urgent request. Present figures are bottom and predictions are that by December prices will have been doubled. The limited supply for shipment indicates that storage will be drawn on a month sooner than usual. All grades of apples are wanted and the market closed very strong. Cantaloupes were firm as quoted and in good demand. Limited supplies of black and green figs brought prices without trouble. Plums were practically off the market, a few Kelsey's being in fair request as listed. There was an unusual scarcity of Bartlett pears. A small lot of extra fancys went readily at quotations. Peaches were in abundant and good sellers at 75@90 cents per box. Fancy oranges and lemons were scarce with buyers willing to pay high figures. Extra quality seedless grapefruit was wanted and the little marketed had ready sale as quoted. Grapes continued very plentiful with good demand at low figures. There was little demand for bananas at 4 cents per pound. Casaba melons were stiffer at 1.00@1.25 per dozen.

Potatoes were plentiful and in good demand with present prices very firm. Tomatoes were of excellent quality and fair sellers with prices steady. No interest was shown for a large supply of cabbage at ruling figures. The vegetable market was generally dull with few sales and prices maintain as listed.

Inquiry for live and dressed poultry was fair, supply being moderate and figures firm.

There was a fair run on fish at quotations with the market anticipating an improvement.

Wheat has advanced enough to add 35 cents per barrel on flour, but so far present prices maintain. The Oregon and Washington wheat crop has been much damaged by rain, which indicates a very strong flour market.

Hay and grain holds very firm at quotations with an outlook for better figures.

Dried fruits were high priced and urgent request, with evaporated apples leading at an advance of 1 cent per pound. The demand is so heavy that packers have withdrawn prices.

The features of yesterday's call were the high asking prices and bid on butter and eggs. Creamery extras asked top figures with bids close. Local ranch and case count eggs were offered on par with quotations with bids near to a fraction. Eastern fresh and storage selected were offered for the first time in weeks. The day's sales were 10 dozen five cases and 3 cases of creamery extra butter. There will be no call on Monday, Admission Day, and business houses will close after the first delivery.

The receipts of produce as reported for yesterday's exchange were as follows: Eggs, 83 cases; butter, 17,055 lbs.; cheese, 1320 lbs.; potatoes, 3126 sacks; onions, 80 sacks; beans, none; sweet potatoes, none.

EGGS—Candled, California ranch, selected fancy, 25@26; local ranch, case count, 20@21; northern candled, 20; eastern, fresh candled, 24@25.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 27½; creamery, firsts, 25½; dairy butter, 20; cooking butter, 17; extra fancy, 18@20; choice, 16@18; standard, 14 @15.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 18; Cal. Y. A., 19; storage cheese, 15; fresh, 14@17; eastern daisies, 13; Longhorns, 12½; N. Y. twins, 17½; singles, 17@19; hand, 20; Dom. Swiss, 22; imp. 31; Limburger, 18; cheddars, 17½; Tulare large cheese, 16½; Tulare Y. A., 19; Tulare hand cheese, 20.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.10; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.50; small white, No. 1, 2.25@3.40; black eyes, 2½; Limas, No. 1, 3.75; Garvanzas, 4@5; American lentils, 11@12 lb.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, new, per lb., extra choice, 10c, 9½; fancy, 8c, 10½; choice, 7½; fancy, 8c-lb. cartons, 12. Apricots, fancy, 25c, 22; extra choice, 21. Blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 16. Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 25. Currants, imported, fancy, bulk, reclaned, 11; fancy, 50 1-lb. packages, 11½; fancy, 50 ¼-lb. packages, 12. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 6c, 8; Fards, fancy, 12s, 9; Golden, fancy, 6s, 5½; Golden, fancy, 50 1-lb. packages, 7. Figs, new, per box, 20 3s, 1.60; White, "Premier," 10 lb, 1.00; White, "Medal" bricks, 10 lb, 85; White, "Medal" bricks, 50 8-oz., 1.00; White, loose, 10 lb. boxes, fancy, 75; White, imported, 25 lb. boxes, White, imported, 12s, 2s; Black, loose, 25s, 15; Black, loose, sacks, 4. Nectarines, per lb., fancy, 25s, 14. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, 13½; choice, 20s, 11½; choice, sacks, all; fancy, peeled, 25s, 20. Pears, fancy, 25s, 25s, 12. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 9. Plums, fancy Silver, 25s, 12½. Prunes, fancy San Jose, per lb, 30-40, 25s, 6½; 40-50, 25s, 6c; 50-60, 25s, 5½; 60-70, 25s, 5; 70-80, 25s, 4½; 80-90, 25s, 4c; 90-100, 25s, 3½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, 4c less.) Raisins, per lb., extra; in 10-lb. boxes, like extra. Prunes, Silver, fancy, 25s, 11. Seeded, fancy 25s, 12½. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 9. Plums, fancy Silver, 25s, 12½. Prunes, fancy San Jose, per lb, 30-40, 25s, 6½; 40-50, 25s, 6c; 50-60, 25s, 5½; 60-70, 25s, 5; 70-80, 25s, 4½; 80-90, 25s, 4c; 90-100, 25s, 3½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, 4c less.) Raisins, per lb., extra; in 10-lb. boxes, like extra. Prunes, Silver, fancy, 25s, 11. Seeded, fancy 25s, 12½. Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 25s, 13½; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb., 14. Seeded, fancy "Eagle," 25 1-lb., 12½; fancy "Catalina," 50 1-lb., 11; fancy "Angelus," 25 ¼-lb., 9½.

NUTS—New, almonds, fancy IXL, 18; almonds, fancy paper-shell, 19; almonds, choice shelled, 30; Brazils, new crop, 15; boxes, 16; Brazils, large, new crop, 17; chestnuts, Italian, 8; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, Jumbo, 20; peanuts, eastern "Sun," raw, 9½; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," roasted, 11½; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," raw, 8; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 11; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 8; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 10; pine-nuts, 15; walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 15½; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 12½; walnuts, black, 8.

HONEY—Comb honey, light amber, 14@15, water white, 16 lb.; extracted, light amber, 7; water white, 8½.

CITRUS FRUITS—Valencia oranges, 2.50@3.75; choice standard Valencias, 1.75@2.00; culls, 75@1.00; lemons, fancy packed, 2.75@4.50; choice to fancy, 2.00@2.50; grapefruit, seedless, 3.00; lemons, 2.00@2.50; grapefruit, seedless, 2.75@3.00; seedling grapefruit, 1.75@2.25; bananas, 1.

FRESH FRUITS—Bellefleur apples, 1.50@2.75; boxes apples, assorted varieties, 50@75; Gravenstein apples, 1.50@1.75 per box; Alexander apples, 1.00@1.50 per box; white figs, 60@80 box; black figs, 50@1.00; local cantaloupes, lettuce grapes, 75@90 per crate; Rose of Peru grapes, 75 per crate; Black Hamburg grapes, 50@75; Tokay grapes, 1.50@1.75; Concord grapes, 1.25 per crate; Delaware grapes, 1.25 per crate; Bartlett pears, standard box, 2.00; green gages, 1.00; German prunes, 1.50@1.65.

BERRIES—Strawberries, Monetas, 4; Gardena, 4; Irwindale, 4; Tropicos, 4; Montebellos, 4; raspberries, 12@15; blackberries, 10.

ONIONS—Silverskin onions, 2.75 per cwt.; Yellow Danver onions, 2.50@2.75 per cwt.; new red onions, 2.75 cwt.; Australian Brown onions, 2.00 cwt.

POTATOES—New Burbank potatoes, 2.00@2.25 per sack; sweet potatoes, 2.75@3.00 cwt.; Highland Burbanks, 2.10@2.30.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 25@40; carrots 25@40; parsley, 25@40 per doz.; turnips, 25@40; peas, 4½; red radishes, 20@25 per doz.; cabbage, 75@85; fancy green onions, 15@25 per doz.; lettuce, 20@30 doz., 75@1.25 per crate; garlic, 7@8; parsnips, 35@40 doz.; tomatoes, 50@60 per box; green peppers, 1½ per lb.; hothouse celery, 65@75 per doz.; cucumbers, 25@40 per box; mushrooms, home grown, cultivated, 1.50; horseradish, 15@20 per doz. bunches; spinach, 15@20 per doz.; string beans, 2@3 per lb.; white wax beans, 2½@3 per lb.; summer squash, 75@85 per box; green corn, 10@15 per box; green peppers, 2@3½ per lb.; okra, 7@8 per lb.; eggplant, 4@5 per lb.; bell peppers, 3@5 per lb.; Lima beans, 2@4 per lb.; rhubarb, 1.25@1.50; Hubbard squash, 2 per lb.

POULTRY — Dealers pay live weight for stock: Old roosters, 5; young roosters, 3 lbs. and up, 14; stags, 12; squabs, 1.50@1.75 doz.; hens, 14 per lb.; ducks, 12; geese, 10; turkeys, heavy, 17; turkeys, light, not wanted; squab pigeons, 1.75@2.00 per doz.; fryers, 2½ lbs. to 2½ lbs., 15; broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs., 17.

BEEF—No. 1, per pound, 6½; second, 6½; third, 4½@5; pime, 7½; heifers, 6½; veal, 10; hind quarters, 9½; fore quarters, 7; loins of beef, No. 1, 14½; ribs of beef, No. 1, 11½; chucks, 6½; plates, 5; round and rumps, 9; beef tenderloins, 22; chucks, 6½; square beef clods, 8; shoulder clods, 8; beef shanks, 4; flank steaks, 7; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimmings, 5; beef tongues, 12; B. P. beef tongues, 14; ox tails, 5; lambs' tongues, per doz., 50; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 5½; kidneys, each, 2; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10.

MUTTON—Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb., 9½; dressed mutton, wether, 11; dressed mutton, yearlings, 11½; milk lambs, 13; shearlings, 10@9.50.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 11½; dressed hogs, head off, 12½; trimmed hogs, 13½; pork loins, 14; fresh picnics, 10; pork shoulders, 10½; pork butts, 12; fresh hams, 15½; bellies, fresh, 14; fresh pork spare-rib trimmings, 10; fresh pork spare ribs, 9; fresh pork tenderloins, 25; back fat, 9; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; pickled pigs' feet, fresh, 5; pickled pigs' feet, hogs' head, per lb., 4½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog stuck, each, 5; pork kidneys, per lb., 5; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½.

BACON—Winchester 10-lb. bacon, 19½; Winchester bacon, 19½; 12 Ave., 17½; Empire, 21½; 6's, 16@17; Premium, 24; Atlas bacon, 19½; Gold Band, 20½; Diamond C bacon, 21; Helmet bacon, 16½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14½; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 21½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 17½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 19½; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 20½; Regal bacon, 17½; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 19½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 19½; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 19½; Armour's Star wide bacon, 6 to 8 lbs., 23; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 21; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 19½; Armour's White Label bacon, 8-10 avg., 19½; White Label bacon, 10 to 12 lbs., 19; Star, 23½; Empire, 21½; Empire Breakfast bacon, 21; Atlas bacon, 17½; Special bacon, 16½; Western bacon, 10 avg., 19.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 17½; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 17½; dry salt clear backs, 12; short clear backs, 13; D. S. bellies, 16-18 avg., 13½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 1.60; honey-comb tripe, keg, 85; honey-comb tripe, kits, 85; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.50; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickel lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex, 16; Rex skinned hams, 17; Diamond C, 16½; Diamond C skinned hams, 17½; boiled boneless Reg hams, 22; mild-cured hams, 15½; plain hams, 15½; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 16½; Winchester hams, avg., 18½; Premium, 10-12 avg., 17½; Premium hams, 12 to 16 avg., 17½; Winchester picnics, 12; Winchester skinned hams, 17; Gold Band, 18½; California hams, 11½; Premium skinned hams, 15½; 14 Ave. hams, 14½@15; 12 Ave. hams, 15@15½; Orange Blossom 13½; fresh hams, 12½; fresh picnic hams, 9; Ashland hams, 15½; minced ham, 12; Cylinder boiled hams, 23½; Premium boiled hams, 23½; Oxford boiled hams, 17½; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 18; Armour's Star hams, 12-14 avg., 17½; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 17½; Helmet hams, 17½; Star skinned hams, 18; Armour's boiled Hams, 24; boiled boneless and tied hams, 25; Armour's picnic hams, 13½; Regal hams, 16½; Atlas hams, 15½; Atlas hams, 16½; Armour's Shield hams, 10-14 avg., 14½; Armour's Shield hams, 12 to 14 lbs. avg., 16½; Armour's Shield hams, 14-18 avg., 16½; Armour's Shield skinned hams, 17; Armour's Shield picnics, 11½; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 17½; Ashland hams, 4 avg., 15; Jefferson hams, 25; Western hams, 16.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in) bbls., 20.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 11.00; half-bbls., 6.00; rolled plate beef, bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 24.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 22.00; half-bbls., 11.50; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 22.00; half-bbls., 12.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls. 26.00; half-bbls., 12.50; S. P. spare-ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 12½; cases, 10-lb. cans, 13; 5-lb. cans, 13½; cases, 5-lb. cans, 20 2-lb. cans, 14; leaf lard, 11; Rex pure lard, 11½; Premium lard, 13½; Silver Leaf lard, 13½; Jewel Compound, 9; Compound lard, western, 8½; sack fat, 9½; Yellow Cotosuet, 10; White Cotosuet, 10½; Mission lard, 11½; Shield lard, 11½; Star lard, 12½; Armour's Compound lard, western, 8½; Compound lard, eastern, 9½@10; Diamond C kettle lard, 12½; White Ribbon, 9½; bank lard, 9½; Armour's vegetable lard, 10½; K. C. lard, 12½; Armour's Shield lard, 11½; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 13; Armour's Vegetole, 9½.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 7; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 7½; blood sausage, 9; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; fresh pork sausage, 10; Wiener sausage, 9; Frankfurt sausage, 8; New England ham sausage, 12; mince ham sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 12.

SALT—Western, sanded through L. A. jobbers: Table salt, cartons, 5-lbs., per case, 90; table salt, cartons, 10-lbs., per case, 1.60; 50-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 1.70; Worthington Dairy 50s, per ton, 15.00; 25s, per ton, 15.50; 25s, per ton, 16.00; Crown or Gran. Dairy 50s, 13.00; 100s, 12.00; Rock and half-ground 50s, 12.00; 100s, 11.00; granulated and ½-ground, 100s, 11.00; granulated and ¼-ground, large, per ton, 16.50; lee-cream and evaporated, sheep 50s, per ton, 11.50; 100s, per ton, 11.00; Hicks and ice-cream, 50s, 16.00; 100s, 15.00; Lump, Liverpool, 50s, per ton, 21.50; imported, Higgins, 50s, per ton, 22.00; imported, Winnington, 50s, per ton, 24.00. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. add 10c; ½-bbls., 20c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 2c cwt., 10 days. Beet gran., 5.55; western cane and fruit gran., 5.50; C. & H. cane and berry gran., 5.35; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 5.70; Candy gran., 5.85; powdered, 6.05; C. H. confectioners' A, 5.60; Extra A, 5.55; Golden C, 4.75; D, 4.85; Bowles 4x powdered, 50-lb. boxes, 5.80; Bowles 4x powdered, bbls., 6.05; Bowles 4x powdered, 25-lb. boxes, 6.10; Magnolia A, 5.30; Extra D, 5.05; extra C, 4.95; Dominos, 5.10. Bar sugar: Cal. Club, Longs or Shasta, 25-lb. tins, 6.00; 50-lb. boxes, 5.90.

FLOUR—Family extra, per bbl., 5.00; patent, per bbl., 5.60; Globe flour, 5.60; Select California white wheat: Banquet flour, per bbl., 4.60; Towel flour, 4.60; Silver Star flour, 3.90; XXX flour, 3.80; Acme flour, 3.80; Model flour, 3.70; Aurora, 4.30; Aurora, 4.30; Mikado, 4.80; Trophy, 4.80; New Era, 4.60; Mayflower, 4.60; Eclipse, 4.50. CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOUR—Crown flour, 4.25; Crescent flour, first patent, Kansas, 4.25; Electric Light, first patent, Dakota, 4.60; Powerful, second patent, 4.25; Hoop Skirt, 4.00; Pride of the Millers' (straight dealers): Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.75; wheat, No. 1, 1.70; wheat, cracked, 1.85; corn, 1.60; cracked corn, 1.65; corn, small yellow, 1.75; feed meal, 1.80; bran, 1.50; rolled barley, 1.60; barley, 1.60; oilcake meal, 2.50; cotton-seed meal, 40.00 per ton; shorts, 1.45; oats, white, 1.75; oats, whole Oregon, 1.90; oats, red California, 1.60; Texas-Kansas seed oats, 1.80; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.65; seed rye, 1.15; small yellow corn, 1.65; Egyptian corn, 1.50.

FLOUR—	In boxes.	5-lb. Sks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. pastry	....	3.60	....	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	$1.70	3.50	$3.45	$1.40
Graham flour	....	....	2.50	2.45	2.30
Rye flour	....	....	2.50	2.45	2.30
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	2.00	1.95	1.80
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.65	3.85	3.80	3.75
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	4.70	4.00	4.00	4.00
Hominy, large or small	....	....	4.20	4.00	3.90
Cracked wheat	....	....	3.80	3.60	3.50
Entire wheat flour	....	....	....	3.60	3.50
Pearl barley	....	....	4.00	3.80	3.70
Split peas, green	....	....	5.85	5.65	5.55
Split peas, yellow	....	....	5.70	5.50	5.40
Gluten flour	....	....	4.15	3.95	3.85
Farina	....	....	4.15	3.95	3.85
Nutrina Germ	....	$3.50	4.00	3.80	3.70
Rolled wheat, in barrels, net weight; 135 lbs. per sack	....	....	....	....	4.25
Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs.	....	....	....	....	3.00
	....	....	35	25	10
Expelsior Chick Food	....	$1.35	$1.30	$1.25	$1.00
" Fattening Food	....	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.00
" Egg Food	....	....	....	....	1.35
" Mealtime Food	....	....	....	....	1.85
" Chick Food, twenty five-pound packages, per case	....	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 50@57; in cases, 6c higher on each kind.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 83.

HAY—New, barley hay, 11.00@15.00; No. 2, 12.00@13.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 15.00; No. 2, 13.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 15.00@16.00; No. 2, 13.00@14.00; northern alfalfa, 14.00@15.00; local, 15.00@16.00.

CHILES—Evaporated storage, 7; bulk, 12½@15; grour 1, 7; Mexican Black, 10; sun dried, 7.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars Los Angeles.

Gasoline and Distillate—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 18c per gallon; do., cases, 23c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 9½c per gallon; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 6½c per gallon.

Fuel Oil—85@90 deg. Baume, 1.10 per barrel.

Illuminating Oils—Water white, bulk, 9½c per gallon, tank wagons, 9c; in barrels, 9½c; Pearl, in cases, 15c per gallon; Astral, cases, 17c; Eocene, cases, 20½c per gallon; Elaine, cases, 28½c; Star, 17c per gallon; V. & P. naphtha, barrels, 10c; cases, 16c.

Lumber Market.

PRICES CURRENT. Pine in the rough, ranging from 25.00@31.00, according to size. Rough uppers, 40.00@60.00; worked uppers (flooring,) 25.00@55.00; stoping, 35.00@40.00; rustic, 30.00@42.50; ceiling, 32.50@45.00; 12th, carload lots, 4.25; less than carload lots, 4.75.

Redwood in the rough, 30.00@35.00; surfaced and clear, 40.00@50.00; rustic, 32.50@41.50; siding, 30.00@50.00; "T and G," and E. L. stock, 25.00@45.00; shingles, 2.50@2.90; lath, 3.00.

Mill prices: Sizing, 1 edge, 1.50; sizing, 1 edge and surfacing, 1 edge, 2.00; surfacing, 1 edge and 2 sides, 1.50@4.00; resawing, 1 cut, 5.00; ripping, 1, 1.25@2.00.

In estimating on large lots, these prices are somewhat reduced.

NEW YORK MARKET.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The stock market today had the further benefit of the action of the Burlington directors in increasing the dividend rates to 8 per cent. and distributing an extra dividend of 6 per cent. to stockholders. The direct benefit to the corporation treasury of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern by reason of their ownership of nearly all of the Burlington stock was clearly recognized. There was also a flood of rumors in circulation naming plans for distribution of these profits to the stockholders of these companies in the form of extra dividends, and these rumors were the inciting cause of most of the speculation, which showed more animation than for many weeks past. The rumors were without an authentic confirmation. Another helpful factor in the speculation was the forecast of a favorable bank statement tomorrow. The subtreasury operations have yielded a gain of $1,726,000 to the banks, and estimates of the interior currency movement indicate that this has been supplemented from that source to the extent of about 4 million dollars. Call money rates were appreciably stiffer today. In spite of the strength promised in the bank showing. The uncovered shorts played an important part in the day's upward movement. The persistent circulation of rumors of further embarrassments was believed to be due to efforts of the bears to secure stock more easily. Some of the reports thus put in circulation were daring. Their effect, however, was slight. Heaviness in London was attributed to preparation for a coming holiday. Renewed reports of frost damage to wheat in the northwest failed to check the advancing tendency of stocks. The day's speculation centered largely on stocks most benefited by the Burlington bonus, including Union Pacific by reason of holdings of Great Northern preferred. A recovery in the London price of copper gave some strength to copper industrials. Profit taking made considerable inroads upon the gains and the market closed easy. Bonds were firm. Total sales par value $1,182,000. United States bonds were unchanged. Closing Stock List.

Atchison	83¾	Amal. Cop	73¾
Atchison pfd	91	Am. C. & F.	49¾
B. & O.	97	Am. Locomotive	34¾
Canadian P.	167½	Am. Smelt. & R.	92¾
C. & N. W.	190¾	" pfd	107¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	70	Colo. Fuel & I.	39¾
Colo. So.	24¾	National Biscuit	57¾
D. & R. G.	24¾	Int. Paper	20½
D. & R. G. pfd	87	National Lead	54¾
Ill. Central	137¾	Pacific Mail	39¾
L. & N.	110¾	People's Gas	98¾
Mex. Central	17½	Pressed Steel Car	39¾
Mo. Pacific	77¾	Pullman Pal. Car	185
N. Central	164¾	Standard Oil	625
Pennsylvania	121	Sugar	115¼
Reading	97¾	Tenn. C. & Iron	72½
Rock Island	23¾	U. S. Steel	32¾
Rock Island pfd.	46¾	U. S. Steel pfd.	91¾
St. Paul	154	West. Union	79
Southern Pacific	58¾	N. Y.	130
Southern Railway	31¾	N. Y. pfd	131
U. P.	182	Int. Met.	21¾
U. P. pfd	92	Int. Met. pfd	69¾
Union Pacific	133¾	Mackay	82¾
Wabash	22¾	Mackay pfd	80
Wis. Cen.	24¾		

*Bid.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½ per cent.; sterling exchange advanced, with total business in bankers' bills at 4.86 1-4@4.86 1-2 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills 4.82 1-2. Bar silver, 68½. Mexican dollars, 52 1-2. Bonds, government, steady; railroads, firm. Money on call, firm at 2 1-2@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 3; closing, 3; offered at 3 1-4; time loans quiet and steady; sixty days, 5 1-4 and ninety days, 5 3-4 per cent.; six months, 6 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.25; common, 50; crabapples, 50@75.

Berries—Strawberries, 6.00@10.00; blackberries, 3.00@4.00; raspberries, 8.00@10.00.

Grapes—Ordinary, 75@1.00.

Pears—Common, 50; fancy, 1.00; Bartlett, 1.25@2.00.

Peaches—Common, 75; fancy, 1.00.

Oranges—Navels, 2.50@4.50.

Lemons—Common California, 1.25; fancy, 4.50.

Melons—Watermelons, 1.25@2.25; nutmegs, 50@75.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.00; pineapples, 2.00@3.00; Smyrna figs, 75@1.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.65@2.75; Lima, 5.15@5.30; small white, 2.85@3.00; large white, 2.55@2.75.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 90@1.10; river Burbanks, 1.00@1.40; Salinas Burbanks, 1.90@2.15; Merced sweets, 2@2½.

Onions—Fancy, 2.50; common, 2.25.

Various—String beans, ½@2; eggplant, 75; green peppers, 3@4; tomatoes, 25@75; summer squash, 25@40; garlic, 3½@4; cucumbers, 40@60.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 30½; seconds, 28; fancy dairy, 27½; secon

SHIPPING.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, SEPT. 6.

Steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, from Honolulu and way ports.

Steamer Pomona, Capt. Kalmin, from Humboldt and way ports.

Steamer Rival, Capt. Olsen, from San Francisco.

Steamer Bear, Capt. Rasmussen, from Portland, via San Francisco.

Steamer Warrior, Capt. Rasmussen, from Eureka.

SAILED—FRIDAY, SEPT. 6.

Steamer Hanalei, Capt. Dunham, for Portland and way ports.

Steamer Rival, Capt. Anderson, for San Francisco.

Steamer Warrior, Capt. Rasmussen, for Eureka.

Steamer San Gabriel, Capt. Green, for Eureka and Humboldt Bay.

Steamer Pomona, Capt. Halvorsen, for San Francisco.

Steamer Signal, Capt. Sears, for Eureka, via Redondo.

Steamer Commodore, Capt. Johnson, for Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Corona, Capt. Briggs, for Port Harford and San Francisco.

DUE IN PORT—FRIDAY, SEPT. 6.

Steamer Hanalei, Crescent wharf.

Steamer Pomona, Salt Lake wharf.

Steamer Rival, Jones, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Bear, Mission Rock, S. F. wharf.

Steamer Corona, Crescent wharf.

Steamer Eureka, Redondo, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Coronado, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Warrior, Redondo, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Santa Rosa, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Signal, Redondo, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Harvard, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Yosemite, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Robert Dollar, S. P. wharf.

Steamer Henry Wilson, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.

SAILS—SATURDAY, SEPT. 7.

Steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarland, for Honolulu and way ports.

Steamer Pomona, Capt. Zenther, for Redondo.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Gaelic, from San Francisco and Humboldt Bay.

Steamer St. Louis, from Portland.

Steamer Amasus, from South Bend.

Steamer Willa A. Holden, from Tacoma.

Steamer Alvena, from Astoria.

Steamer Columbia, from South Bend.

Steamer Numa, from South Bend.

Steamer Columbia, from Everett.

Steamer Novelty, from Coos Bay.

Steamer A. F. Coates, Puget Sound.

Steamer Eureka, Eureka.

Steamer Santa Rosa, from Eureka.

ARRIVING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Ship Fort Marechal Davout, Capt. Ramsay, 11 days from Antwerp, with cargo of coal.

The passenger steamers Cabrillo and Hermosa daily trips to Santa Catalina Island.

Movement of "Mosquito" Fleet.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, SEPT. 6.

Steamer Hueneme, Fishlon, Calnquin, Music and Hall, for Long Beach with passengers.

SAILED.

Steamer Hueneme, Fishlon, San Diego, Calnquin, Music and Hall, for Long Beach, with passengers.

Steamer Gaviota sails for fishing banks to return Monday.

Tide Table for San Pedro.

	High.	Low.
Sept. 7	9:30 a.m.	2:57 a.m.
	9:50 p.m.	2:51 p.m.
8	9:56 a.m.	3:17 a.m.
	10:26 p.m.	3:23 p.m.
9	10:06 a.m.	3:42 a.m.
	10:15 p.m.	3:57 p.m.
10	10:34 a.m.	4:12 a.m.
	10:54 p.m.	4:29 p.m.
11	11:32 a.m.	4:47 a.m.
	11:34 p.m.	5:15 p.m.
12	11:48 a.m.	5:23 a.m.
		6:12 p.m.
13	0:38 a.m.	6:46 a.m.
	12:26 p.m.	7:31 p.m.
14	2:03 a.m.	8:58 a.m.
	1:42 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
15	3:43 a.m.	9:22 a.m.
	3:06 p.m.	10:45 p.m.
16	4:02 a.m.	10:19 a.m.
	4:23 p.m.	11:55 p.m.
17	4:53 a.m.	11:42 a.m.
	5:45 p.m.	

PORT ITEMS.

Due here at 5 p.m., wind southwest, 8 miles.

The steamer Independent Steamship Company's steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, arrived in port yesterday morning from San Francisco and way ports, with passengers and 500 tons of freight consigned to the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company. The Hanalei will clear for Honolulu tomorrow night.

The steamer Rival, Capt. Kalmin, from San Francisco, is discharging a general cargo at Railroad Company's wharf. The Rival will take on a full cargo of lumber for the San Pedro, Salt Lake Railroad Company.

The steamer Bear, Capt. Anderson, finished discharging that portion of a lumber cargo at this port and cleared to-day for Eureka, where the remainder will be taken on.

The steamer Gaviota, Capt. Green, finished discharging a lumber cargo for the Pacific Mill and Lumber Company at this port yesterday and cleared for Eureka and Umpqua River ports.

Vessels due today include the steamer Rival, Santa Rosa and the steamer South Bay, both for Eureka, and the steamer Coronado, Capt. Johnson, for San Francisco.

The steamer Hueneme is out two days from Santa Catalina Island with a full cargo of lumber and passengers at this port.

The steamer bark Marechal Davout, Capt. Ramsay, is out thirty-three days from Antwerp, with a cargo of coal consigned to Ballour, Guthrie and Company.

The steamer Commodore, Capt. Zenther, arrived in port with a lumber cargo to-day and will sail tomorrow in ballast to reload.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1907.

Deeds filed for record.

Jno G Love, lot 85 Strong & Love's St tract, $800.

Jno Co to Maria Schemenau, lot 7 blk 2 Rogers Cos Highland Park tract, $10.

Jno Co to Sylvia A Eager, part lot 1 blk 2 and part lot 12 blk 2 Wilshire Park tract, $10.

Jno Co to Nettie E Hammond, part lot 1 blk 2 Wilshire Park tract, $10.

Jno Co to Nettie E Hammond, lot 48 blk 2 Wilshire Park tract, $10.

Jno Co to Ida Hoagland, lots 1 and 2 blk 2 Brier tract, $10.

Jno Co to Jno Ryan, lots 6 and 9 Whitlocks sub of blk 3 Maclays add to San Pedro, $10.

Jno Co to Homeland Trust & Investment Co lots 287 Maclay Rd Ex Mission tract, $10.

Jno Co to N Myers, agreement to construct, $375.

Jno Co to J J York and Kate B Lodge lot Cor Compton Ave tract, $10.

Jno Co to A H Magill, part lot 2 blk 2 Co sub of lots 4 and 5 blk 2 Mary Bennett, part lot 2 Co sub of lots 4 and 5 blk 2 Halliday, lot 45 and part lot 2 blk 1 La Park tract, lot 2 blk 4 Erkenbrecher Syndicate tract, $10.

Jno Co to Dorothy Parker, lot 2 blk 2 California Citrus Union, lot 2 blk 2 tract, $10.

Jno Co to P A Parker and W A Kennedy, lot 2 blk 4 Hillside Hgts tract in Sierra Vista, $10.

Jno Co to Billington Co, lot 2 blk 2 same tract, $10.

Jno Co to G W Leather, lots 3 and 5 blk 2 same tract, $10.

Jno Co to J B Mitchel, lot 2 Gregorys Subdivision, $10.

Jno Co to Broadway Blk & Tr Co, lot 1 blk 1 Lower Hazenwaas, lot 44 blk 2 same, $10.

Jno Co to Hallie Chapman, lot 145 Cor Venable Place, $200.

Jno Co to Jno Perkins, lot 18 Alta Vista tract, $10.

Jno Co to Jeannie N Corson, lot 1 blk 1 Land & Water Co W H Jefferis tract, $10.

Jno Co to Hermosa Beach, part lots 12 and 13 blk 2 Sunnyside, $10.

Jno Co to R R Hadley, lot 15 Anaheim Rd Los Alamitos, $10.

Jno Co to J McColl, lot 67 West Commercial, $10.

Jno Co to C Rhenberry, lot 63 same, $10.

Jno Co to L Brickels, lot 32 Reeve Tract, $10.

Jno Co to Wm Bennett, lots 34 and 35 Block C Platt Inv Co, lot 10 blk 47 Hermosa Beach, $10.

Jno Co to T G & T Co, lot 10 blk 47 Hermosa Beach, $10.

Jno Co to C S Anderson, lot 1 blk 1 Tract No 2 Hermosa Beach, $10.

E L Henck to T G & T Co, lot 5 blk 13 South Woodlawn, $10.

G Lacour, F Puissegur, E Puissegur to T G & T Co, lots 43 and 44, Ballesteros Vineyard tract, $10.

T G & T Co to L A Gas & Elec Co, lots 43 and 44, Ballesteros Vineyard tract, $10.

H Merchantell J F Hall to H F Spears, lot 7, Arroyo Park tract, $10.

J Greisch to Daisy D Brooks, lots 22 and 23, block 13, Huntington Park Extension No 1 in Vernon, $10.

D H Frohock to Deborah V George, part lot 7, block 16, Highland View tract, $10.

Merchants Trust Co to J E and O M Eby, lot 2, Winton & McLeods Figueroa st tract, $10.

Palos Verdes Co to G Fries, lot 15, block F, Metcalf tract, $10.

T Mitchell and Harriet B Warren to Louise Dennison, part lots 10 and 12, block 40, Long Beach, $10.

Theresea J Mehaffey to Mattie White, lots 19 and 21, Hallers sub of Farm lot 160, Alamitos tract, $10.

C Petersen to Carrie B Brown, lot 18, block A, Walnut and Anaheim Park tract, $10.

Stearns-Counts Investment Co to J D Graves, lot 4, resub of American Hgts tract, $35.

Louise R Shaw to R W McFarlin, lots 7 8 and 9, add to Saratoga tract, $10.

M H Wilson to L C Lindsey, lot 15, block 1, Long Beach Hgts, $10.

G E Werner to Lavinia G Andrews, lot 26, Werner tract, $10.

H V Epperson to F J Barringer, und 1-2 int in lot 12, block 2, Ocean Pier W in Long Beach, $10.

R A Wallace F P Firey to E H Horsch, part farm lot 82, American Colony tract, E.

R Sax to Sue M Zuver, lots 12 and 15, block B, Sax tract, $10.

Seaside Water Co and Bdway Bk & Tr Co trustee to H T Rankin, lot 5, block 5, Ocean Pier tract W, $10.

M V B Knox to R W Knox, part lot 1, King B Olmstead resub, $10.

C E Howe to J W Dawson, lot 1, Harleys resub lots 1 and 2, St Louis tract except E 5 ft of said lots, $10.

M B and T E Finch to P L Dodge, lot 61, Carroll Park tract, $10.

C L Holloway to H D Meyer, lot 68, Holloway Pike & Torrey tract, $10.

S Townsend to Eva L Willits, lots 3 4 5 and 6, block 4, Moorland tract, $10.

H D Moore to Eva L Willits, lot 27, block 1, Perkins tract, $10.

H D Moore to A C Malone, lot 17, block 1, same tract, $10.

Santa Monica Commi Co to W E Carroll, lot 14, block B, Vawters Ocean Park tract, $10.

J C O'Neil to Mrs John P Sharp, agreement to convey part lots 11 and 12, block 1, Heller & Hays tract in Long Beach, $1250.

Mrs J P Sharp to J P Sharp, asst of all int in above.

Mrs M J Bitner to J R Morrison, lot 34, Grand ave Elec tract No 1, $10.

H H Miller to Frances M Higgins, lots 19 and 20, Dowel & Miller tract, $10.

W R Hookway to Mary De Matte, lot 17, Walnut tract, $10.

C A Weaver to First National Bk of Glendora, lot com at point on W line of Michigan ave 35 ft N from surveyed center line of right of way of L A Inter-Urban Ry Co, said point being SE cor of lot 1, block DD and running th N ala said W line of Michigan ave 55 ft S in th W at rt ang with said W line of Michigan ave 140 ft etc, $10.

Maude L Remington to L D Remington, part lot 15, block C, Monroes add to Monrovia tract, $10.

Union Saw Bk to Mrs Frances K Mason, part lot 15, block 4, Olivewood, $10.

Bank of Commerce to Long Beach Trust Co, part lots 1 and 2, block 111, Long Beach, $10.

J T Gaffey to State Bk of San Pedro, lots 21 and 22, block 7, Atalaya tract, $10.

Elizabeth Hollenbeck to San Pedro L A & Salt Lake R R Co, lots 1 2 5 8 9 25 and 26, block A, Strong & Dickinsons Salt Lake R R tract, also 16-ft strip across that certain 15-ft right of way for sewer purposes etc, $1.

Mrs F M Wimmer to J B Riddick, part lots 2 and 3, block 1, Long Beach Harbor View tract, lot 1, Boulevard tract, $10.

F E Kennedy to Ida D Hughes, lot 2, Pine ave tract, $10.

S A Sanderson to M H Shippey, lots 32 and 39, Orange Hill tract, $10.

L M Grider E F Hamilton and I E Hamilton to Grace Maxwell, lot 16, block 14, Grider & Hamiltons Highland Park, $250.

A L Keys to C W Overton, lot 18, block 30, Charles Victor Hall tract, $10.

Stone-Blades Co to H H Brown, lots 152 and 153, Carnation Terrace tract, $10.

E Griffith to A W Maxwell, lot com at point at SW cor of N¼ of lot 3, J T Morgans resurvey and sub of lots 14 and 15, Hunters sub of part of Ro San Rafael and running NW on W line of lot 5, 546.42 ft etc, $10.

E S Pauly to Mrs Myra H Scott, lot 25, Vendome Park tract, $10.

W H Williams to Minerva M Newbecher, lot 30, block D, American ave tract, $10.

A R Pierce to A W and L D Brode, lot 58, Sierra Vista tract, $10.

Golden State Realty Co to E M Tuttle, lots 1 and 2, McCauley tract, $10.

Ralph Rogers Co to F A Silvers, lot 101, Walter Ransom Cos Venable Place, $250.

I Sharp to A L Austin, lot 5, block 45, Clearwater California Co-op Colony tract, $10.

O E Smith to E F Cohn, lot 5, Winnetka tract, $10.

J A Swall to Julia Spear, lot 5, Winnetka tract, $10.

United Realty Co to M Stevens, lots 318 and 319, Forthmann tract, $10.

Same to J Goodwin, lots 320 and 321, same tract, $200.

C E Chapman to C W Davis, lot 13, block 5, Long Beach Harbor View tract, $10.

W Wright E T Brigham to Amanda J Stevens, lot 15, Prescott-Smith tract, $10.

Palos Verdes Co to Daisy M Bellows, lots 5 and 11, block G, Metcalf tract, $10.

Laura C Miles to L C Powell, agreement to convey part lots 7 8 and 9, Eno & Varney tract No 2, $2000.

Helene C Carpenter to W M Brown, part lots 13 and 15, block 40, Long Beach, $10.

W M Brown to P E Hatch, same prop as above, $10.

J A Helmuth to L A Pollard, lot 29, block 30, Azusa, $50.

H J Schaper to Emma E De Wolf, lot 21, block C, American ave tract, $10.

J S Long to C C Logan, part lots 10 11 and 12, block A, West Sixteenth st tract, $10.

L Michaels to J J Shore, lot 28 Grider & Hamiltons Grant Place, $10.

Artesian Water Co Broadway Bk & Tr Co trustee and G G Johnson trustee to G F Weeks, lot 21 blk 4 Jefferson St Park tract, $10.

C E Smith to H C Mackney, lot 156 Original Sunnyside, $10.

R V Cocke to P Haack, part lot 1 sec 31 T 3 S R 13 W, $10.

P Haack to R V Cocke, lots 6 7 and 8 blk 8 La Paloma add, $10.

J K Brasier to J A Gemmill, asst of contract 2146-34, part lot 23 New Abilene tract.

Leah A Bundy to W F Bundy, part lot 1 Bundys 2nd sub, $10.

W F Bundy to Leah A Bundy, part lot 2 Bundys 2nd sub, $10.

C M Stimson to E J Qually Jr, lots 16 and 17 blk 5 Highland Park Extension, $10.

Union Hollywood Water Co to H L Zoller, lots 1 to 11 and 19 to 24 E P Knutesens sub excepting N 6 ft of said lots 1 to 11, part sec 2 T 2 S R 14 W, $17,000.

H L Zoller to C J Heyler, same prop deed in above without exceptions, $10.

Same to same, lot 1 and part lot 4 and pt lot 13 blk 3 Palm Place, $10.

A G Williams and F H Taft trustee to Myrtle B Black, lot 7 Humboldt tract, $10.

G W Palmer to R D Friselle, lot 144 Rowland Hgts tract, $10.

F E Alderson to C C Chapman, part lot 12 blk A, part lots 11 and 16 blk A Alderson & Sons West Jefferson St tract, lots 37 39 and 42 Harry L Bennetts Figueroa Place, $10.

Mrs Ida M Votrie to J Hersmer, E 120 ft of lot 22 blk F Burke Bros Figueroa-Slauson sub, $100.

Merchants Trust Co to W R Hill, lots 17 and 18 blk V Watts Park tract, $10.

Susan R Clark C Winter to G Shuerman, lot 55 Jacobus tract E L A, $10.

T I & T Co to Charlotte J F Dean-Morgan, lot 170 East Jefferson St tract No 3, $10.

J H Freeman to R F Berryman, lot 6 blk 2 Johnsons Ocean View tract, $10.

W E Hughes to C L Farrish, lot 44 Olivito Hgts, $10.

L A Cemetery Assn to Mrs Martha Miller, part lot 606 Evergreen Cemetery, $75.

Meta C Aldereto to Dr P C Mueller, lot 2 blk 2 Augustine add, $10.

C H Hoge to J H Cooper, lot 22 blk 2 Long Beach Hgts being resub of blk 1 resub of Alamitos tract and Alamitos Beach Townsite, $10.

J A Keeney to Cora M Robinson, lot 27 blk 6 Golden Bay tract, $4000.

Merchants Trust Co to Mrs R E Cook, lots 351 and 352 York tract, $10.

Ralph Rogers Co to E F Webb, lot 164 Walter Ransom Cos Redondo Home tract, $100.

Union Trust & Realty Co to H L Scherb, lot 344 Fourth St Bridge tract, $10.

Golden State Realty Co to L G Ledesma, lot 277 Watts Junction tract, $100.

J A Hockett to Mattie B Andrews, lot 22 blk 15 Whittier, $10.

P H Maloney to H L Maloney, lot 154 Dalton Orchard tract, $10.

C C Warner to G A Graham, lots 10 and 11 blk 11 Pecks Grand View tract, $10.

Lorena E Closman to Geo E Wilson, agreement to convey lots 6 and 7 blk 1 Belmont Hgts tract, $2200.

Huntington Land & Imp Co to H W Jones, lot 23 blk 12 Huntington Park Ext No 1, $10.

J J Harshman to W P Mealy, lot 2 Rheinhart tract Compton, $50.

J W Jump to W J Fouke, lot 24 A O Porters sub of part of Porter & Green tract, $1.

T I & T Co to L K Shirey, part lot 18 blk A McCarthy Cos Main St Monela Ave and Figueroa St tract, $10.

C A Shirey to P J O'Regan, part lot 13 blk A same tract, $10.

T G & T Co to L A Securities Co, lot 21 blk 71, lots 7 and 8 blk 147 Redondo Villa tract, $16.

J McLaughlin trustee to G W Pfischner, lot 2 blk E Highland Park Electric tract, $300.

J E Higgins to Maria Beninger, lot 16 Sunset Hgts tract, $10.

E A Forrester & Sons to B R Reichmann, lot 14 blk G Forrester & Baldwins Ascot Ave Home tract, $10.

Jno P Coyne to A E Lawrence, lot 21 blk B H N Elliotts 9th St tract, $950.

Lucetta Hallway to J C Dysart, agreement to convey parts of N 50 acs of 809.61-ac trt of Ro San Rafael assigned on partition of said Ro San Rafael Verdugo de Sepulveda, $12,000.

A J Buckholz to Clara B Harper, part lot 96 La Paloma Hgts tract, $10.

J Marsh to J Leffler, lot T blk 168 Santa Monica, $10.

R C Jarrett to Elizabeth J Sweetman, lot 1 blk 44 Artesian tract, $10.

F Narver to Mabel Narver, blks 11, 14 and 15, Clearwater, $10.

C S Whitham to C D Calkins, parts of lots 6 and 7, blk 17, Highland View tract, $10.

H D Moore to B McCoy, lot 21, blk 1, Perkins tract, being resub of E 250 feet of Farm lots 110 and 134, American Colony tract, $10.

Dr H P Barton to C W Barton, und ¼ int in lot 15, blk 11, South Woodlawn, $10.

T I & T Co to M Miesen, lot 50, blk C, Brown & Chamberlins Main and Figueroa Street tract, $10.

G G Lehmer to K Kooma, part lots 2 and 3, blk H, Park Place, $1.

A Phillips to Edw A Westberg, lot 21, Phillips Old Home tract, $10.

Bank of San Pedro to Sarah I Ambrose, lot 7, blk 12, Pecks Manhattan Beach tract, $10.

G H Grindley to J D Morgan, lot 28, blk A, Bellevue Place, $10.

A P Yerington to Alderson Bldg and Investment Co, lot 16, blk A, Alderson & Sons West Jefferson Street tract, $1.

A Jeselson to L Auerbach, lot 271, blk 8, Golden Bay tract, $1.

Mamie S Kent to Susie Kent, part lots 11, 13 and 16, blk E, H L A, gift.

C B Williams to Olive W Himrod, lots 14 and 15, blk 3, J W McBride & Cos sub, $50.

J L Himrod to C B Williams, lots 14 and 15, blk 3, same sub, $10.

L C Meredith, M G Meredith and P J Dreher Co to C F Weigle, part lot 8, blk 41, Pomona, $10.

G W and K C Perkins to F B Troxell, lots 7 and 8, blk 8, Le Mars sub of blk 184, Pomona, $932.

M A Dorsey to L N Smith, lots 8 and 9, blk 46, Claremont, $10.

E A Hardy to Lizzie D Williams, part lot 10, blk C, Monroe add to Monrovia tract, $10.

Kate McCarty to H A Hull, lot 7, East Ocean Park tract, $10.

M W Stephens and M J McMahon to Rancho Land Co, lot 22, blk 1, Bellevue Avenue tract No 2, $10.

City of Los Angeles to Ross Oscillating Pump Co, beg at point in W line of Ave 20 dist 20.04 feet S from most N cor of lot 10 blk A of sub of City lands in E L A and Arroyo Seco and which point is further descd as being at intersection of E line of said lot 10 said blk A with N line of right of way of Sou Cal Ry Co etc, $134.

Ida P Bond to A M Brooks, lot 28, blk 124, Redondo Beach, $10.

WESTERN MINING NOTES.

The Daily Mining Record of Denver says that Butte, Mont., is seriously affected by the decline of copper. Numerous small companies have ceased operations, and some of the larger concerns may be forced to close down. From present indications, the 1907 product of gold in Nevada county, Cal., will approximate $2,200,000. Of this the Grass Valley district will furnish $1,300,000.

In August the Cripple Creek, Colo., district turned out 45,213 tons of ore of the gross bullion value of $923,286, a decrease of about $250,000 owing to the burning of the Golden Cycle mill.

On August 26 the Amalgamated Copper Company disbursed a dividend of $2,061,758; on August 1, the Boston and Montana paid out $1,800,000; on August 6 the Arizona Copper Company divided $1,144,745.

The Ely smelter, in course of construction at McGill, fourteen miles from Ely, will be the largest smelter in the world, with a capacity of 20,000 tons. The plant, with its auxiliary buildings, will cover 3500 acres of land. It will have twenty-four blast furnaces and one giant furnace. Its product will amount to nearly 360,000,000 pounds of copper a year, says the Daily Mining Record. The entire plant will be completed in the fall of 1908.

The gross output of the mines of Pioche, Nev., and vicinity, not including Bristol, Jackrabbit and Comet district, in the thirty years, 1869 to 1899, totaled the great sum of $21,271,376.

The coal production of Indian Territory in 1906 was 2,860,200 short tons of the spot value of $5,482,366. The workers numbered 8251, of whom 7372 were idle during the period of suspension which lasted 72 days. The total number of working days lost by reason of the strike, says the United States Geological Survey, was 535,504, which was equivalent to 46 per cent. of the total time made. The average year's output per man was 346.6 tons, against 379.2 tons in 1905. The total area underlain by workable coal was 14,000 square miles. The use of mining machinery in the Territory has steadily declined of late years. Coal prices were up in 1906, because of the decline in production and the increased price of Texas oil. That is why the Indian Territory increase in mined coal value in 1906 was $237,008 more than in 1905, though the quantity mined was 64,227 tons less.

Indiana's coal production increased with marked rapidity during the past ten years. The output in 1906—12,092,560 short tons—was double that of 1898, and over three times that of 1896. There would have been a much larger increase in production in 1906 than in 1905—197,308 tons—had it not been for the nearly three months' "strike suspension." The 1906 workers numbered 20,970, working 175 days, as compared with 25,322 in 1905 who worked 151 days. The "idle" men in 1906 numbered 15,875, about three-fourths of the workers. They were out 63 days. Had this time not been lost and the other conditions had remained the same, says the United States Geological Survey, the production of coal in Indiana in 1906 would have exceeded 15,000,000 short tons instead of 12,000,000. It was not until 1860 that Indiana's coal production reached 10,000 tons a year.

NO ACTIVITY ON 'CHANGE.

The early call on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange was unproductive of any great amount of trade. Associated Oil, that old standby of the local brokers, was absolutely neglected. Five hundred shares of Central Oil stock changed hands at 1.07 and the stock closed at 1.00@1.14. Globe Oil was more active, 5000 shares selling at 12, on a buyer sixty contract. The demand seemed quite firm, the stock closing with a cash bid at 11½, while the asked price was solid at 15. Ten shares of Home Preferred telephone stock sold at 55, and the stock closed without a quotation. On the mining call there was slightly more activity. Consolidated Mines was handled to a total of 12,000 shares, 8000 of which sold at 3⅝@3⅝, cash, while the remainder were traded in at 4⅜, buyer sixty days. Clark Copper was dealt in to the extent of 4000 shares at 5⅛. The close was at 5⅛@ 5⅜. Searchlight Western appeared on the sales sheet, 1000 shares selling at 6½. Johnnie Consolidated was handled to a total of 6000 shares at 12½. The close was at 12⅝ @12⅞.

DEATH MYSTERY DEEPENS.

Former Employee of Cleveland Broker Now Suspected of Instrumentality in Murder.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New theories, suspicions and developments in the mystery resulting from the death of John J. Phillips, coal operator and broker, at his home Monday, follow each other in rapid succession.

Today a former employé at Phillips's home is suspected of having caused the death of the man. The suspect's name is known to officials, and a search is being made for him.

James Dunn, Phillips's private secretary, says this man called at Phillips's office yesterday morning. The object of his call was not disclosed by Dunn, except to the officials, but he was to have returned Wednesday morning, Dunn says, and so far has not been seen.

It was said by Chief Stamberger that Mrs. Phillips would soon be placed under formal arrest.

Opening of the New Townsite of Corcoran, September 9th, 1907.

One of the finest beet sugar factories in the State, now being built there by the Pacific Sugar Corporation.

Big profits made in other beet-sugar towns. Investigate now.

Special excursion train leaves Los Angeles September 8, about 7 p.m. Reduced fare.

Security Land and Loan Company, owners of townsite and lands adjoining, 257 S. Spring.

Clearinghouse Banks.

NAME	OFFICERS	
First National Bank S. E. Cor. Second and Spring	J. M. ELLIOT, Pres. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cash	Capital .. $1,250,000 Surplus ... $250,000 Und. Prfts $1,197,747
Citizens' National Bank S. W. Cor. Third and Main Sts.	R. J. WATERS, Pres. A. J. WATERS, Cashier	Capital ... Surplus and profits .. $225,000
Broadway Bank & Trust Co. 205-10 S. Bdw., Bradbury Bldg.	WARREN GILLELEN, P. R. W. KEENY, Cashier	Capital ... $250,000 Surplus and undivided profits $10[illegible]
Commercial National Bank of Los Angeles, 423 S. Spring St.	W. A. BONYNGE, Pres. C. N. FLINT, Cashier	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and undivided profits .. $40,000
Farmers' and Merchants' Natl. Bank Cor. Fourth and Main Sts.	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier	Capital .. $1,500,000 Surplus and profits .. $1,600,000
Merchants National Bank N. E. Cor. Second and Main	W. H. HOLLIDAY, Pres. MARCO H. HELLMAN, Cashier.	Capital ... $300,000 Surplus and profits $450,000
American National Bank S. W. Cor. Second and Broadway	W. F. BOTSFORD, Pres. Wm. W. WOODS, Cashier	Capital .. $1,000,000 Surplus and profits ... $125,000
The United States National Bank of Los Angeles Cor. Main and Commercial Sts.	ISAIAS W. HELLMAN, Pres. F. W. SMITH, Cashier	Capital ... Surplus and und. profits .. $54,000
National Bank of California N. E. Cor. Second and Spring	J. E. FISHBURN, Pres. R. I. ROGERS, Cashier	Capital ... $500,000 Surplus and und profits $125,000
Central National Bank 4th and Broadway.	WM. MEAD, President. J. B. GIST, Cashier.	Capital ..... $200,000 Surplus $200,000
The National Bank of Commerce in Los Angeles N. E. Cor. Sixth and Spring Sts.	F. M. DOUGLAS, Pres. CHAS. EWING, Cashier	Capital .... $200,000 Surplus $50,000

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Herman W. Hellman Bldg.
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, $700,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS $16,000,000.00

SELF-JUSTIFICATION.

ARTIST EARLE OFFERS EXCUSE.

WIFE AND CHILD DESERTER ATTEMPTS JUSTIFICATION.

Man Who Shipped Family to Europe That He Might Marry Another Woman, Writes Lengthy Explanation After Being Mobbed by Indignant Townsmen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Ferdinand P. Earle, the artist who has set his fellow townsmen at Monroe, and other persons all agog by shipping his young wife and little son Harold off to Europe, so that he may obtain the freedom he needs to marry another, has written to the World a lengthy defense of his actions, his text being a recent criticism of himself by a woman writer.

Notwithstanding he was mobbed by indignant citizens and the desire manifested to treat him roughly again should he return from New York to Monroe, Earle told the village President that if he could get a chance seriously to discuss with the villagers what he has done, he could convince them of the righteousness of his position. The village President advised the artist not to try to get the people's ears.

Earle, who came to New York yesterday in connection with making a money settlement on his wife, did not return to Monroe last night, but remained in town with relatives.

It is reported that the young woman to whom Earle hopes to be married after his divorce from Mrs. Earle is now in the White Mountains. It appears that she has a home in Bethlehem, N. H.

Frederick R. Coudert, Jr., of the firm of lawyers who are regarded as authorities on international law, thinks that Mrs. Earle will find her way beset with many difficulties when the case comes up in the French courts. The laws in France governing divorce are very severe.

FACES MURDER CHARGE.

Indiana Widow Accused of Shooting Her Husband Who Had Sought Divorce.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BRAZIL (Ind.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Edward Glasgo today faces a charge of murder as a result of a mysterious shooting in which her husband was killed, and she was wounded. There were no witnesses.

Mrs. Glasgo says her husband shot her and killed himself, but physicians say Glasgo's wounds could not have been inflicted by himself.

Glasgo and his wife had separated, Glasgo applying for a divorce. Mrs. Glasgo, accompanied by Attorney Charles Whitlock of Terre Haute, drove to a brick plant, where Glasgo was to try to arrange a settlement of alimony. Whitlock got out of the buggy and Glasgo got in, and started to drive back to the city, when the shooting occurred.

When physicians reached the scene, Glasgo was unconscious in the buggy and soon died. A revolver with five chambers empty, was found near the buggy.

SPEND YEAR IN PRISON.

Two American Railroad Conductors Prove Innocence of Murder and Are Released.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWARK (O.) Sept. 6.—Grant Ferguson, a former railroad conductor here, telegraphed from Agua Caliente, Mex., as follows:

"Edward Stover and W. B. Speed were released from prison Thursday by order of the Mexican government, unconditionally, and no charges remain against them."

Stover and Speed are American railroad conductors, who were imprisoned in Mexico over a year ago, charged with a murder which neither committed. Ferguson placed the case before the United States government, and with the assistance of Senators Foraker and Dick, secured much testimony showing the men to be innocent.

Buy Sample Shoes.

Ladies—Visit my sample shoe shop, on the fifth floor of the Merchants' Trust Bldg., No. 257 South Broadway. I sell the finest shoes made, in the latest styles and in all sizes, for $2 a pair. Harry Magill, the Sample Shoe Man.

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PLYMOUTH—CHERBOURG—BREMEN, 10 A.M

*Oneisenau ..... Sept. 5 | Friedrich ..... Oct. 1
Bremen ..... Sept. 12 | *Oneisenau ..... Oct. 10
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Kurfuerst ..... Sept. 26 | Barbarossa ..... Oct. 24
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GIBRALTAR—NAPLES—GENOA, AT 11 A.M.

K. Albert ..... Sept. 7 | K. Albert ..... Oct. 19
*Neckar ..... Sept. 14 | *Neckar ..... Oct. 62
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*Cedric ..... Sept. 12 | Arabic ..... Sept. 28
*Celtic ..... Sept. 19 | Baltic ..... Oct. 5

PLYMOUTH—CHERBOURG—SOUTHAMPTON

*‡Adriatic ..... Sept. 11

THE CITY IN BRIEF

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

This Manufacturing Center.

"Los Angeles as a Manufacturing Center" will be discussed before the City Club today by L. H. Mertz.

Umstead Vice-President.

Leon W. Umstead, chief mailing clerk at Station C, was elected vice-president of the United Postal Clerks of the United States, at the recent meeting at Peoria, Ill.

Charged With Battery.

Entalio Alcantas was arrested at No. 822 Macy street last night on a complaint sworn to by Felipe Ybarra, charging Alcantas with battery. It is alleged that in a drunken fight Alcantas severely injured Ybarra.

Alumni Dinner Postponed.

The dinner to have been given by the local members of the A. T. O. Fraternity at the Angelus, next Wednesday evening has been indefinitely postponed owing to the absence from the city of Judge Ross, one of the founders.

Funeral of Don Chick.

The funeral services of Don A. Chick will be conducted at Robert Sharp & Son's parlors, No. 820 South Main street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be at Hollywood Cemetery. The funeral will be under the auspices of Ramona Parlor, No. 109, Native Sons of the Golden West.

Fourteen-ounce Apples.

Clarendon B. Eyer, who recently purchased the entire townsite of Beaumont, with everything in it, sends The Times a box of exceptionally fine apples from his orchards there. They are of the Gloria Mundi variety, and their average weight is fourteen ounces.

Receiver for Lamb Market.

Creditors of the Lamb Department Market filed a petition in the United States District Court yesterday to have the market declared bankrupt. S. A. Muir was appoined receiver, with bonds of $5000. The petitioning creditors are the Southwestern Packing Company, Meek Baking Company and William H. Moore, Jr.

Sixteenth Degree.

Scottish Rite Masons last night administered the sixteenth degree to a class of fifty-four candidates at the Scottish Rite Cathedral. More than 200 members were present, and the ceremonies were followed by a banquet. A party of twenty Pasadena Masons came over. Among the visitors were City Clerk Herman Dyer, City Treasurer and Tax Collector Munson, Street Superintendent Doolittle, L. L. Test, and Rev. Isaac Jewell.

Loses Both His Feet.

Seferino Martinez, a young Mexican laborer, living near Savannah, was run over and fearfully injured yesterday afternoon by a Southern Pacific engine. It is said Martinez stepped on the tracks near Savannah Junction and, apparently not hearing the approaching train, walked into it. He was thrown beneath the engine and both his feet were crushed off. The prompt work of the train crew in hurrying the man to the County Hospital saved his life.

Struck With a Stone.

Angered because three lads refused to leave their play to listen to him read yellow-back novels, John Williams threw a stone which struck Leo Hutchings, aged 13, and seriously injured him, yesterday afternoon at Tenth and San Pedro streets. The lad fell unconscious from the blow and was sent to the Receiving Hospital, where it was found that he had sustained concussion of the brain, and a laceration behind the left ear. Williams escaped and the police are searching for him.

School Preparations.

All teachers of city schools are called to meet on Saturday, September 14, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the auditorium of the Polytechnic High School. All students who seek to enter the high schools must register at one or the other on September 13 or 14. At 2 o'clock p.m., on September 13 there will be a meeting of the special teachers of music, drawing, manual training and domestic science, at the office of the City Superintendent. All the public schools will open at 9 a.m., September 16.

Vicious Dogs Injure Two.

Vicious dogs injured two persons last night. A. M. Jenson, a structural steel worker, residing at No. 1011 Crocker street, was attacked by a bull dog as he passed Tenth and Crocker streets about 9 o'clock. The dog bit him on the left arm, inflicting a deep wound. Jenson went to the Receiving Hospital. A. Ward, a mail carrier, was passing along Moneta avenue near Forty-second street about 5 o'clock when a dog attacked him and inflicted a deep wound in his left leg. After Ward had been treated at he Receiving Hospital he was taken to his home at No. 307 Leroy street.

Occidental's Opening.

Occidental College and Academy will open Wednesday for the twenty-first year. The exercises will be held at 10 o'clock in the chapel where the students will gather from the academy and college. After the opening day the academy and college will be separated, and the faculties are distinct. The periods of study in the academy are forty-five minutes, and in the college one hour. President Baer has returned from his vacation trip, and is enthusiastically looking forward to the opening day. He left yesterday for Santa Barbara, where he is to speak at a county Christian Endeavor convention. He will return Tuesday.

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Pierce Bros. & Co., Undertakers,

330 S. Flower. Tel. M. 1827. Lady attendant.

Connell Company, Funeral Directors.

No. 1051 South Grand Avenue. Tel. Main 5455, F5455. Mrs. Connell in charge of women and children.

Bresee Bros. Co., Undertakers,

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San Francisco Veterinary College Opens October 1.

For catalogue, apply to Dr. Charles Keane, Pres., No. 1313 Market street, San Francisco.

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TO PREVENT STRIFE.

PEACE DOVE IS HATCHING.

President Plans Conference of His Own.

Calls Together Ambassadors to Washington.

To Discuss Subjects Ignored at The Hague.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Roosevelt is not satisfied with the amount of work done or likely to be done in the interest of peace by the conference at The Hague, so he is going to have a peace gathering of his own.

Its delegates are to be the Ambassadors accredited to him by the several powers. It is possible that ministers also may be taken, but that is not settled. Not many of them represent nations with a stick large enough to make them factors in settling world problems.

The underlying idea is that the Ambassadors, by means of informal talks among themselves, will be able to come to an understanding about questions in which are interested all the big powers.

Disarmament, limitation of armament and new rules of war—the so-called larger questions which the council at The Hague is handling—will not be touched, and disputes are not likely to arise on account of them.

SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION.

The application of the Monroe doctrine and the Drago doctrine, the exercise of the so-called rights by Japan over Korea, Japan's interest in China as distinguished from the rights of other powers, the Congo question and matters of live interest in diplomatic exchanges are the things the Ambassadors are expected to talk about.

At a meeting of Ambassadors in the latter part of October arrangements will be made for a more formal meeting. At the first meeting the Ambassadors will be addressed either by President Roosevelt or by Secretary Root, who will explain why they have been called together. After that the President will invite them to arrange for further meetings. So far as now can be seen nothing in the way of treaties will result. There is no such intention. It is to be merely a getting together to express views and exchange ideas on matters of universal interest.

CONTRABANDS.

JAPS STEAL IN FROM MEXICO.

OVER TWO SCORE NABBED IN ONE TEXAS CAMP.

Prisoners Confess That They Were but Portion of Band of Several Hundred Who Had Contracted for Admission Into the States—Mexican Agency Blamed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Immigration inspectors on the border have raided a camp about thirty miles from Laredo and captured twenty-five Japanese who had smuggled their way from Mexico into Texas.

The Japs will be deported by way of San Francisco, while four Jap agents will be prosecuted.

From the prisoners it was learned that this batch is only a portion of several hundred Japs who had contracted for admission into the States.

It is believed there is a leak in the ranks of the border inspectors because the smuggling of Japs from Mexico is increasing, notwithstanding the number of arrests and prosecutions within the last three months.

Several of the Japs captured in the raid had contracts for interests in rice farms in Southern Texas, and five of them claimed to be merchants from Tokio, who were touring this country with a view of investing in lands.

A labor agency in Mexico, handling the Japs, has been reported to the Mexican government and evidence is furnished upon which prosecutions will be filed to run the institution out of the country.

The Mexican government and United States immigration agents worked together in gathering evidence against the Japanese mobilizing camp.

COTTONSEED SELLING HIGH.

Excessive Demand Stimulates Texas Market, and Farmers Reap Harvest of Sheckels.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With demand in excess of supply, the cottonseed oil interests are "up against it," while the farmers of Texas are reaping a harvest by demanding big prices for the seed.

The mills have contracted for deliveries, but are compelled to bid high for the seed, which is now selling for $21.50 a ton, while a year ago it was $12.

Last year Texas produced over two million tons of seed, while this year it will not exceed 1,700,000 tons. The storms east of the Mississippi River rendered seed unfit for refining purposes in other States.

Last year the farmers of Texas got $24,000,000 for their seed. This year with a decreased production they will receive nearly $35,000,000. The Texas cotton crop is estimated at 3,400,000 bales, or a half million less than last year.

AUSTRIA HAS COAL TRUST.

Repeated Advances in Prices Result in Demand That Mines Be Nationalized.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIENNA, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The announcement of another increase in the price of coal has aroused the indignation of manufacturers and private consumers against the extortions of the coal trust.

Prague and other municipalities and industrial districts in Bohemia have joined in a petition to the government to take steps to break up the monopoly by nationalizing the mines.

The trust has raised prices six times since last January, causing great hardship for the poor, and seriously handicaping manufacturers.

BREVITIES.

J. W. Frey has moved his stock of mantels, grates, tiles and andirons to his warerooms, corner Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest assortment of black and brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States.

Ladies—You never have to pay more than $2 for the best shoes made, and the men need never pay over $2.50. I sell $3.50 .o $6 sample shoes at these prices. I can fit all feet. I am located on the second floor of 414½ S. Broadway. Visit my store and be convinced. Sample Shoe Man Stark.

Ladies and gentlemen: Now is your opportunity to take advantage of a genuine closing-out shoe sale. All shoes at cost prices, ranging from $1.55 to $3.45, for values up to $7, at 325 S. Spring st., between Third and Fourth.

Sinai Congregation. Seats for the New Year services in Simpson Auditorium can be reserved on Sunday morning at B. B. Hall and all Sunday afternoon at Simpson Auditorium. Max Cohn, 'phone 7106.

A carload of fat young steers, a carload of fat yearling lambs, a half a carload of fat young veal, and plenty of all kinds of fine meats on sale Saturday, at Newmarket, 522-24 S. Broadway.

Trade at the Newmarket and save money. We are the only firm that does a strictly cash business. Bring your cash to us and you will save money. Newmarket, 522-24 S. Broadway.

Walter J. Wren & Co., fire insurance, moved to 736-7 Security building, corner Fifth and Spring. Both phones, Exchange 1257.

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Autumn forests in their glory. Free booklet. Write or telephone. Manager Idyllwild, Riverside County, Cal.

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Mexican flags, decorations and fireworks. L. A. Fireworks Co., 410 East Third st.

E. A. Lundy, dentist, has removed to 809 Security Bldg.

Dr. J. H. Seymour, 310 Grant, returned.

Damon. Piano tuner. $2. 349 Spring.

Furs. D. Bonoff, furrier, 212 S. B'way.

Dr. H. Gordon Bayless returned.

Dr. J. V. Walden, returned.

AMERICAN SINGERS IN BERLIN.

Western Girl and New York Tenor Make German Debut Simultaneously Before Large Audience.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Sept. 6.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Attendants at the Berlin Royal Operahouse tonight were treated to a performance wherein two American singers made their debut simultaneously, both taking prominent roles.

Francis MacLennan, the New York tenor, appeared in the part of "Turriddu," in "Cavalleria Rusticana," while Edna Darch, a young Western singer, took the part of "Lola."

Both singers were favorably received. The newcomers had distinguished associates in this production. Mlle. Destinn sang "Santuzza" and Richard Strauss conducted.

Their joint appearance, which affords another evidence of the way in which American musicians are forcing the attention of the German musical world, attracted a large audience.

VITAL RECORD

BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

WHEAT. To Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheat, at Hermosa Beach, September 5, a son.

Deaths.

WELLS. In this city, September 6, Lawrence Amestoy Wells, aged 7 years, 9 months. Beloved son of C. W. and Elisabeth Amestoy Wells. Funeral from residence, 2234 West Pico street, September 8, at 2 p.m. Services at St. Thomas' Church.

GILL. At San Diego, September 6th, Helen Parker Gill of Boston, of pneumonia.

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SPARKS. In this city, Sept. 5, Harry Sparks, aged 16. Funeral from the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., 330 S. Flower st., Sept. 7 at 11:30 a.m.

PARGE. In this city, Sept. 4, Albert H. Parge, aged 25. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., 330 S. Flower st., Sept. 7 at 10 a.m.

WILLIAMS. Sept. 5 at 2:20 a.m., at his residence, 1308 Harvard blvd., Mr. Lewis Williams, formerly of Bisbee, Ariz., in his seventy-third year; father of Mrs. J. S. Douglas of Nacosari, Sonora, Mexico, and brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Bisbee of San Francisco and Ben Williams of Los Angeles. Funeral today (Saturday) at 2 p.m., from the residence. Interment Rosedale.

FEUERSANGER. Sept. 6, Elisabeth, beloved wife of Adolph Feuersanger, aged 43 years. Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at 2 o'clock Sunday from her late residence, 527 East 19th st., thence to St. Joseph's Church, corner 12th and Los Angeles sts., where services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Interment Calvary.

Marriages.

KNOBLOCH-ENDER. C. Fred Knobloch, aged 34, a native of Indiana, and Elizabeth C. Ender, aged 25, a native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Pasadena.

TAYLOR-GARNETT. Nelson Taylor, aged 63, a native of Georgia and a resident of Long Beach, and Mary E. Garnett, aged 48, a native of Kansas and a resident of Redlands.

JOHNSON-BERGLUND. Elof Johnson, aged 41, a native of Sweden, and Maria Berglund, aged 37, a native of Sweden; both residents of Long Beach.

DE MORQUE-UTTERBACH. Victor De Morque, aged 21, a native of Massachusetts, and Maude Utterbach, aged 18, a native of Nebraska; both residents of Los Angeles.

WADSWORTH-WOODWARD. Edward W. Wadsworth, aged 25, a native of Massachusetts and a resident of Pasadena, and Gertrude M. Woodward, aged 24, a native of Ohio and a resident of Seabring.

OVERHULSER-SIMPSON. Carl W. Overhulser, aged 24, a native of California, and Essie L. Simpson, aged 19, a native of Tennessee; both residents of Los Angeles.

MERTENS-GRAHAM. Karl R. Mertens, aged 28, a native of Spain, and Theodora H. Graham, aged 18, a native of South Carolina; both residents of Los Angeles.

CUNNINGHAM-MURPHY. Purdy M. Cunningham, aged 29, a native of Missouri and a resident of Los Angeles, and Belle Murphy, aged 22, a native of California and a resident of Santa Ana.

HOLT-CONTENT. Joseph E. Holt, aged 24, a native of Colorado, and Odile Content, aged 19, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

LYNE-JACKSON. William Lyne, aged 37, a native of Pennsylvania and a resident of Palestine, Tex., and Helen Jackson, aged 28, a native of Ireland and a resident of Los Angeles.

BIRELY-SMITH. John M. Birely, aged 23, a native of Indiana, and Florence E. Smith, aged 27, a native of Massachusetts; both residents of Hollywood.

Divorces.

SUITS. Lettie Allen against Roy Allen; Rosa Garinger against Irving Garinger; Martha Zimmerman against Marshal R. Zimmerman.

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Prices Already Lifted and Are Going Higher.

Prices of meat are going up with a rush within the next few weeks. Los Angeles will pay more for its steaks, chops, roasts and boiling pieces during the coming winter than it ever has paid before. An enormously increased demand and a remarkably decreased supply are the causes. Cattle never before were so scarce on the Coast. Advances already have been made practically of a cent a pound all around. The wholesaler, the retailer and the consumer are in the same boat. Natural conditions are blamed by local experts. They deny any trade combination to advance prices.

It matters not whether the taste be for beef, pork, mutton, veal or lamb—the squeeze will be just as tight.

Stock buyers say it is next to impossible now to obtain more than enough animals on the hoof to supply the immediate demand. They confess to a good deal of skepticism as to the whereness of the winter supply. The Coast States have been scoured and the packers and market men are reaching far afield in a seemingly vain effort to find what they seek.

Ordinarily, this is a season of the year—just at summer's close—when cattle, hogs and sheep are plentiful and cheap. After a few months of green feed the animals are fat and the stockraisers part with them at a lower price per pound, the increased weight more than compensating for the cut in the pound rate.

BIG SHORTAGE NOW.

But it is different now. Instead of the thousands of fat animals awaiting slaughter, there is a very great shortage. Dealers say it is bound to get worse as the winter season comes and the usual necessity arises for feeding stock animals with more expensive provender.

Prices on all stock, say the local dealers, are several cents a pound more than is usual at this time.

There was a time, not many years ago, when Southern California furnished all the mutton that was desired for local consumption—when the sites of Pasadena and other prosperous cities were nothing but ranges for countless sheep; when ranches of thousands of acres in this vicinity were roamed by bands of cattle.

But advancing civilization has eaten the stock and has converted the range and the ranch into town lots and bustling cities, whence comes a demand for even more meat than there was before.

It used to be, only recently, that Texas could be depended upon for ample shipments of cattle when the local supply was short, but the Lone Star State has experienced a dry spell and we can look for no relief from that quarter.

A number of San Francisco buyers, who heretofore have drawn their supplies from Nevada and Arizona, were in Los Angeles a few days ago, returning from Texas, whither they had gone in quest of stock. Their errand was comparatively fruitless.

The great feeding grounds in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys have been drawn upon until they are depleted of stock, and Imperial Valley, the newer and promising stock country, is coming through with everything it can spare.

SHEEP FROM UTAH.

Sheep are shipped in here in large number now from Utah, but the freight is high, and this, on top of the advanced cost of the meat to the dealer, naturally causes the consumer to look upon choice lamb or mutton as if it were pate de fois gras.

It has got so that the buyers go to a stock raiser with a large number of ewes and contract with him at specified prices for the lambs that may be expected in the usual course of events.

Hogs are shipped in here from Sioux City, Iowa, at a cost of 8 cents a pound, live weight. From packer to butcher the pork is sold at from 11 to 12 cents a pound.

The price of fat cattle advanced in the months of July and August, something theretofore unknown. They still are going up. If the gait is maintained, the cow yet may jump over the moon.

"The time has passed," said a local retailer yesterday, "when a person can expect to get a good-sized chunk of sirloin, a soup bone and a piece of dog meat for a dime. There are a good many reasons for this. With prosperity, people are eating more meat; the population of the entire country is growing constantly, and there is a tremendous increase in the yearly consumption of meats of all kinds.

"At the same time, the great ranges of the West are rapidly disappearing through one cause and another, and there is a constant decrease in the production of stock animals.

"I believe that few retailers of meat have made money in Los Angeles this summer. I know that a number have failed—thirty, I have been told. It will be hard for many more this winter, for people will cut down their orders under the rise that is bound to come."

RETURNS TO ARIZONA.

S. H. Mitchell, manager of the Phoenix (Arizona) Street Railway Company, has returned to that city after having spent several days in Los Angeles and near-by resorts. While here Mitchell was in conference with Gen. M. H. Sherman, discussing matters pertaining to the Phoenix street car system.

DAILY STRAW VOTE.

A straw vote of the merchants of Orange on the successor to President Roosevelt gave the following result:

REPUBLICANS.

Taft	53
Hughes	4
La Follette	1

DEMOCRATS.

Bryan	4

WHO WILL BE NEXT CHIEF?

The next turn of the political wheel is likely to land Chief of Police Kern on the Board of Public Works. It is no secret that Chief Kern is not particularly happy in his present office, with all the strings and pulls thereunto attached, and when a vacancy occurs on the Board of Public Works through the expiration of a term or in some other way, the Mayor would like to give Kern the appointment. Nobody is particularly anxious for the job of Chief. John M. Glass and others have been approached on the subject.

HE WROTE, TOO.

EVANS ADMITS DEBT TO OWENS.

LETTERS THROW NEW LIGHT ON SENSATIONAL CASE.

Lawyer of Former Husband of Portland Complainant's Wife Says Charge of Blackmail Is Absurd and Filed to Offset Effect of Civil Suit in the North.

There were other letters than those written by Dr. J. S. Owens to J. Whyte Evans, upon which the latter based a charge of blackmail and caused the arrest of the Los Angeles physician, whose divorced wife, formerly Mrs. Minnie Hance Owens, Evans married.

George S. Hupp, counsel for Owens, said yesterday that he will be prepared at the proper time to exhibit in court some missives written by Evans, in which the Portland promoter and former bosom friend of Owens admitted owing the latter considerable sums of money.

Out of jail on $4000 bail, Dr. Owens was engaged professionally yesterday and took no part in the controversy that was started by the filing of the sensational suit by Evans, but Attorney Hupp seized the occasion to make a few remarks in behalf of his client.

"We have abundance of written evidence bearing the signature of Evans," said Hupp, "that will put a different light on this matter. Much of this evidence is in the hands of the Portland court, where the civil suit of Dr. Owens against Evans has been filed to secure the payment of money due.

"We shall show that the contents of Dr. Owen's letters to Evans were mere statements of fact; that the money called for was due. We have letters from Evans to Owens admitting indebtedness. Some of these letters accompanied remittances. In one of them, Evans says he will be in Los Angeles with his wife to settle with Owens, clearly acknowledging his indebtedness.

"These letters from Evans show another interesting thing; that is, that Evans was not a millionaire or anything like it, but that he usually was hard pressed for funds.

"It is all bosh about $21,000 Evans claims to have paid Owens.

"The fact of the matter is that Dr. Owens advanced $5000 to Evans several years ago with which to make a trip to Mexico and secure a valuable railroad concession. This concession netted Evans $80,000. He was to have halved this with Dr. Owens, but he failed to do so.

"Despite this failure, Dr. Owens advanced more money to Evans, who is a clever promoter, on the belief that Evans would make still more money in which Dr. Owens hoped to share.

"It always was a promise to make a 'fortune out of a shoe-string,' but the fortune never came to Dr. Owens.

"Finally the doctor got tired of dunning Evans and filed a civil suit in the Portland courts, the depositions being taken here. This suit is set for trial on the 21st inst. The surmise is that Evans has filed this suit against Dr. Owens, charging blackmail, to offset the effect of the Portland suit.

"We have no fears as to the outcome of this local suit."

Evans admitted yesterday that he had served a term in San Quentin Prison twenty years ago. He says, though, that he was innocent of any crime

CLERK TO MILLIONAIRE.

Former Angeleno Gains Wealth in the Philippines and Is Globe-Trotting for Health.

Formerly a clerk at the Hotel Hollenbeck but now a wealthy government contractor in the Philippines, C. M. Jenkins is a guest at the Hotel Alexandria. He is on his way around the world. After rising from the modest position of hotel clerk to be the head of vast enterprises by a strange irony of fate Jenkins has gained everything that man could wish except good health. He hopes to get this by a leisurely journey around the globe.

"For a year I have been expecting to go on a long tour," said Jenkins last night. "It required much planning before I could get my business in such shape that it could be left in the care of employés. My departure was delayed by a severe illness. The doctors just pulled me through. Then they said: 'Get away from Manila for at least a year or you will not live a month.'"

Jenkins owns a hotel at Baguio, about 170 miles from Manila. It is located among the pines, a mile above sea level, and is fifty miles from the terminus of the railroad. He controls a system of automobile coaches to transport prospective guests from the railroad station to the hotel.

DELMAS HERE TO REST.

Delphine M. Delmas, one of the leading attorneys for the indicted San Francisco telephone officials, and one of the most-talked-about criminal lawyers in the country at the time of the Thaw trial, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. He is accompanied by his law partner, H. C. McPike. "I have come to Southern California merely for rest," said Mr. Delmas at the Alexandria last night. "I must absolutely decline to discuss any of the matters with which I have been rather closely connected in San Francisco. I have come to this delightful city to escape all that. I was last in this city about four years ago. What a wonderful change there has been. You have a good reason for feeling proud of your city." Mr. Delmas will remain here until next week. He proposes to take short trips to the beaches and to forget the atmosphere of a courtroom for a few days.

BRUIN ALOFT.

BEAR BANNER TO THE WIND.

Flag of the Old Days to Be Raised Again.

Admission Day Feature in San Bernardino.

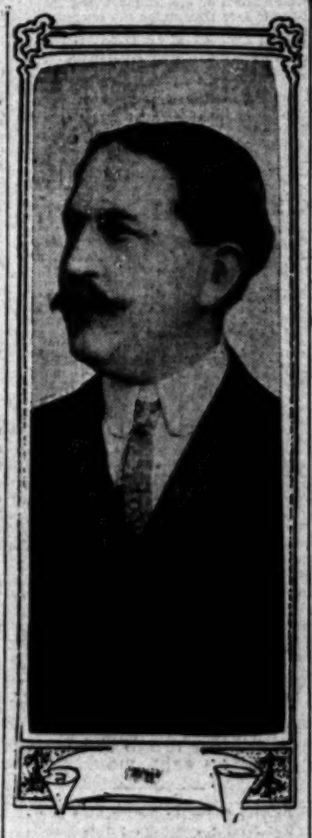
Two-day Celebration, Many Going from Here.

Southern California will celebrate Admission Day in picturesque old San Bernardino with unique features, and will devote two days to the festivities, under the auspices of the Native Sons of the Golden West. The members of Arrowhead Parlor of that city will be the hosts. Los Angeles is expected to send a strong representation.

A special train made up of twelve cars will leave the Salt Lake depot at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning to carry the participants to the scene of the festivities. Though the returns are by no means all in it is anticipated that fully 1500 people will make the excursion, this in spite of the fact that the State celebration at San José has drawn many local Native Sons northward. The special train will be met at Riverside by a reception committee of fifty members, including officials and prominent citizens of San Bernardino.

A picturesque programme has been arranged for the two days that the visitors will be in San Bernardino, and the stirring scenes which preceded the admission of California into the Union will be reënacted for the benefit of the younger generation. There will be games of all sorts, and excursions into the surrounding country will be made. The special train will not start on its homeward journey until Tuesday morning.

The crowning feature of the whole series of events will be the raising, on Monday, by a pioneer, of the Bear flag over the assembled multitude. Who will perform this ceremony is a secret, but the members of the Arrangements Committee say that it will be a man who was present on that memorable day, sixty-one years ago, when at Sonoma the Bear flag was first flung out to the breeze.



H. C. Lichtenberger,
grand trustee of the Native Sons of the Golden West, and one of the Admission Day speakers.

TEN YEARS SHE SEEKS SON.

Woman "Guided" by Spiritual Fakers Comes from Kansas, but Does Not Find Missing Man.

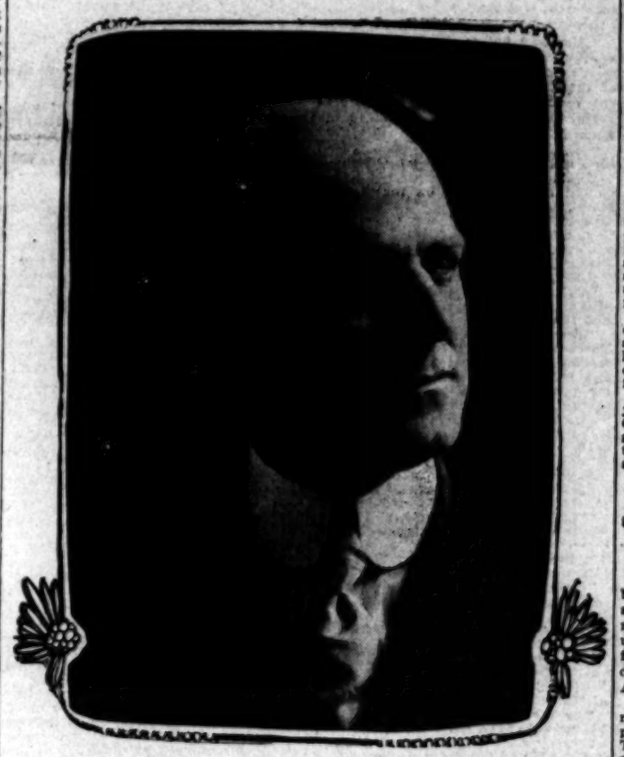
Still following the advice of spiritual "mediums," to whom she has paid considerable money, Mrs. Mary Henry, 65 years old, is in Los Angeles in search of her son, John Mahorney, who disappeared from Lincoln, Neb., eighten years ago. For months her search has been directed by an old woman in Kansas City. About two months ago Mrs. Henry was told that her son was living in Los Angeles with a wife and two children. She immediately came here, and has hunted for him without result. Mrs. Henry lives at No. 3810 Eureka street, and declares she will spend the remainder of her life in an effort to find him.

Mrs. Henry was living in Atwood, Kan., when her son left home. He went to Lincoln, where he found work, and remained two years. Suddenly he stopped writing. She went to Lincoln to seek him. He had left his employment and started West to find his fortune. That was the last heard of him.

Mrs. Henry has spent ten years trying to find him. She consulted "mediums," and then followed their advice, which is worthless deception, of course. In many instances, she sought for information through postoffice authorities in different cities, where the son was supposed to be.

About a year ago Mrs. Henry consulted a faking old woman in Kansas City, where she had lived for several years. She was told her son was in San Francisco at the time of the disaster, and that she would hear from him. When an answer failed to come from her letters to him, she consulted the woman again, paying her more money. She was led to believe that he was in Los Angeles, and that she would be able to find him.

Mrs. Henry has another son, Charles Mahorney, who is a prosperous farmer in Kansas. A few years ago her husband, John Mahorney, died and she married again. Her husband is with her here, and they will remain to search.



Junior Past Grand President W. D. Wagner,
who will be chairman of the Native Sons' reception tomorrow at Arrowhead Hotel, and president of the day Monday in San Bernardino.

THEIR JOBS IN DANGER.

Fifteen marble setters employed on the Security building, Fifth and Spring streets, quit yesterday because a number of non-union helpers were put to work to take the places of the union helpers, who struck Tuesday for higher wages. The contractors say if the matter cannot be arranged today, non-union marble setters will be secured.

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BARTER IN FLESH.

VILE TRAFFIC TO BE STRUCK.

Celestial Brides Imported for Brothels Here.

Secretary Straus May Order Their Deportation.

Shocking Immorality Exists in Chinatown.

Sickening revelations have been made of a local traffic in Chinese girls, such as has aroused the East and it is predicted by Federal authorities that amazing facts will be brought to light through the official probing by Secretary Oscar Straus of the Department of Commerce and Labor. He is expected to order the deportation of the women who are brought to Southern California in increasing numbers.

The Federal authorities find it extremely difficult to obtain convictions in the United States Court owing to the manner in which the traffic is carried on. It is almost impossible to obtain Chinese witnesses who can be relied on. Secretary Straus has the power to order deportation without any proceedings in the courts.

United States Dist.-Atty. Oscar Lawler admitted yesterday that prosecutions have so far failed of their purpose.

CRIME HARD TO PROVE.

"It is very difficult to obtain convictions in court," stated Lawler. "The Chinamen go back to their own country and marry or else marry in Mexico and bring their wives here. Although we believe the girls are put into places of bad repute, it seems very difficult to prove it."

A few days ago the cases against Wong She and Chung Shee, two girls accused of being in this country illegally, were dismissed. Yet the government officials are certain that the husbands of these girls brought them here for immoral purposes. An immigration officer said that in 999 cases out of 1000, the Chinamen married only to place their wives in houses of prostitution without fear of punishment.

"There is a regular trade in these girls," remarked the officer. "We know how it is done, but do not seem able to put a stop to the traffic. The Chinamen are native-born and therefore can leave this country at will. They cross the Mexican border and marry the girls who are waiting there. Then the couples come to this city and the little wives are placed in one of the vile dens so plentiful in Chinatown. When we arrest the girls for being illegally in this country, they prove that they are legally married. Their husbands bring forward plenty of witnesses to show that they are boarding in respectable houses. What can we do?"

BRIDES ARE DOCILE.

The same inspector stated that marriage is a light affair among the Mongolians and that it is easy to buy a pretty little bride in China for a few hundred dollars who would be worth as high as $3000 in this city. The girls are brought up to obey their husbands and docilely submit to their shocking fate.

An organized band of husbands is operating on the Pacific Coast, say the authorities. To follow them from their honeymoon trips to the brothels requires infinite patience and a large force of officers.

Because of the nature of this subject, it has been little discussed. The Chinamen operate secretly and what is going on in their quarters only comes to light when one of the little brides attempts to escape.

SINKS AMONG BATHERS.

Santa Ana Boy Disappears at Bimini Baths and Body Is Found in the Plunge.

Though the tank was thronged with bathers, a 13-year-old lad was drowned at Bimini Baths last evening, no one realizing that a tragedy had happened until the lifeless remains were dragged from the water. The victim of the accident was Ernest Cummings of Santa Ana.

Shortly before 5 o'clock young Cummings and a married sister entered the pavilion and called for bathing suits. They both entered the plunge and no attention was paid to either until the woman approached one of the attendants and told him her brother was missing. A search was instituted and the body was discovered at the bottom of the tank, the lungs filled with water.

For two hours physicians worked, hoping that there might yet be a spark left which could be fanned back into life. Their efforts were fruitless however. The remains were removed to Bresee Brothers' undertaking establishment.

To one of the attendants the sister stated that when she and her brother entered the baths the boy pointed to the springboard and announced that he was "going to dive from that." She thought he could swim and paid no attention to his remark.

No one heard any outcry and how the unfortunate boy managed to sink to his death is a mystery.

GREAT COLONIST YEAR OPENS.

Indications point to increasing numbers of colonists this fall. The first trainload arrived yesterday. There were 350 persons eager to see Southern California. Tom Peck, general passenger agent of the Salt Lake Railroad, said he expects this would prove a banner year for tourist travel to Southern California. "I understand that more inquiries are coming in about securing houses and other accommodations than ever before," he said. "We shall have a big special from Columbus, O., tomorrow. More will follow." It is believed that the low rate will attract thousands. At least 1500 will arrive today over the Salt Lake, Southern Pacific and Santa Fé roads.

AMBASSADOR CREEL LEAVES.

Hon. Enrique C. Creel, Mexican Ambassador to the United States, and recently-elected Governor of Chihuahua, left yesterday for Mexico City. He will confer with President Diaz and then go to Chihuahua. Ambassador Creel has been given three months' leave of absence from the Washington embassy. After his formal inauguration as Governor, he says, he is undecided as to his future course. He may resign as Ambassador and remain in Chihuahua, or he may return to Washington for a few months. During his visit in this city, the Ambassador was the guest at a number of elaborate functions given in his honor. He was very popular at the Alexandria, because of his unaffected manner and marked cordiality.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Reports of the city's health conditions, completed yesterday, show that there are less contagious diseases than for the previous month, and that the births far exceed the deaths.

The city yesterday filed suit against J. B. Lankershim and the owners of the Union Trust building at Fourth and Spring streets, to collect fees under the office building ordinance. Building owners will combine to contest the case.

The Board of Public Works decided to recommend to the City Council the passing of an ordinance providing for the establishment of ornamental electric lights on Fourth street between Main and Hill streets.

Judge Wilbur placed on probation yesterday, C. A. Bartell, a former collector for the Cudahy Packing Company, who pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement.

A complaint filed in the Police Court against the manager of a Bakersfield dance hall, yesterday, marked the opening of a crusade against the abduction of girls from Los Angeles.

Libby Miller, a woman with a bank account, was fined $150 in the Police Court yesterday after pleading guilty to professional begging.

A complaint charging the deputy city pound master with assault with a deadly weapon was dismissed yesterday because of insufficient evidence.

AT THE CITY HALL.

CITY'S HEALTH IS IMPROVED.

MONTHLY FIGURES SHOW FEWER CONTAGIOUS CASES.

Even Tuberculosis Figures Drop Below Number for Previous Month, and There Is no Smallpox or Measles—Birth Rate Far Exceeds Deaths—City Hall Gossip.

Health conditions of the city are considered very favorable for this period of the year, and show an improvement over the general conditions of last month. The proof sheets for the monthly report for August, just compiled by Henry Sief, of the Health Office, give some interesting statistics.

Of the new cases of contagious diseases reported during the month, there were only twenty from diphtheria, as compared with twenty-nine for the previous month. There were but nine cases of scarlet fever reported, while the previous month had reports on twenty cases. Typhoid shows a small increase. There are fifteen new cases for the past month, while the previous month had but twelve new cases. In tuberculosis, however, the percentage is reduced, as there were but ten cases reported, while the previous month there were twenty-four cases. There are no cases of smallpox or measles. The previous month there was one smallpox case.

There were 328 deaths during August. Of these sixty-one were natives, and 162 were natives of the Pacific Coast States, while 251 were from other States. Sixty were victims of tuberculosis, and of these only seven were natives of the Pacific Coast States, while fifty-three were from the Eastern States.

The birth rate shows a good percentage of increase over the death rate. There were 395 births; 202 boys and 193 girls.

Street Railway Accidents.

The semi-monthly accident reports of the Los Angeles Inter-Urban and Pacific Electric Railways have been filed with the City Clerk. From August 15 to 31, inclusive, the Inter-Urban company had eight accidents, in which there were three injured, but no fatalities. The Pacific Electric had nine accidents, in which six were injured and one was killed.

City Sealer's Fees.

City Sealer of Weights and Measures Sanford Grant has made his report for August, which shows a collection of $118.90 in fees for scale inspections.

New Petitions Filed.

Among the new petitions to the City Council filed yesterday were those for the improvement of Branch street, from New York street to the city limits; one for a public sewer on North State street, from Brooklyn avenue to the main sewer to be constructed in the Arroyo de Las Posas.

They Visit Griffith Park.

Mayor Harper, Park Commissioner William Humphreys, Councilmen Dromgold and Wallace and Col. Griffith yesterday afternoon visited Griffith Park for a general inspection and discussion of needed improvements, especially an extension of roadways through this picturesque body of land.

Clampitt for Bridges.

Councilman Clampitt claims that his attitude in regard to the building of the proposed Buena Vista-Downey avenue viaduct has been misrepresented, and that he is unequivocally in favor of the building of the viaduct and will work for an appropriation by every possible means. He is certain that at least a beginning on the project can be made out of the funds available during the ensuing year, and believes that this should be done, rather than delaying the work until the entire amount necessary can be secured.

League Makes Appeal.

The Anti-Tuberculosis League of Southern California has made an appeal to city officials for contributions in support of its work. The league sets forth in a circular which it has just issued, the scope of the work it is undertaking in a general educational campaign for Los Angeles and Southern California, and states that since the establishment of the first helping station, at the Medical College on Buena Vista street, last August, more than 100 patients have been treated with good results. There is need, says the circular, for two nurses, one for the station, and one for district visiting, and for a supply of milk, eggs, and other requisites for the establishment of better physical condition of the patients. The league will put out 500,000 circulars, giving advice to tuberculosis patients as to means of self-help.

Fourth-street Lighting.

The Board of Public Works yesterday recommended that the City Council adopt the ordinance providing for the establishment of a system of ornamental electric lights on Fourth street, from Main to Hill, on the same general design now in use on the Broadway lighting system. The property owners are to stand the expense of the installation and lighting for the first year.

This a Test Case.

The City Attorney has filed a suit, in behalf of the city, against Col. J. B. Lankershim, owner of the Lankershim Building at Third and Spring streets, and the Union Trust Building, at Fourth and Spring streets, for the payment of $200 on the Lankershim Building and $636 on the Union Trust Building, for fees due under the office-building ordinance. It is understood this will be a test case, and that the office building owners will combine to contest it.

For Electrical Energy.

Only one bid was received by the Board of Public Works yesterday for furnishing electrical energy for the Los Angeles aqueduct. This is from the Edison company, and was referred to the chief engineer of the aqueduct bureau for his recommendation. The proposal of the Edison company is as follows:

Item 1. All electrical energy specified in the annexed proposal at the uniform price of 1.30c per kilowatt hour.

ALTERNATIVE BIDS.

Item 2. All electrical energy specified in the annexed proposal upon the basis of seven hundred kilowatts of continuous service at $86.36 per kilowatt year. And all of said energy in excess of said continuous service, at the price of 1 3-4c per kilowatt hour.

Item 3. All electrical energy specified in the annexed proposal, at rates per kilowatt hour based upon the load factor, in accordance with the following table:

Load factors of 100 per cent., at rate of 1.17½ per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of 90 per cent., or more, at the rate of 1.20c per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of 80 per cent., or more, and less than 90 per cent., at the rate of 1.22½c per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of 70 per cent., or more, and less than 80 per cent., at the rate of 1.25c per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of 60 per cent., or more, and less than 70 per cent. at the rate of 1.27½c per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of 50 per cent., or more, and less than 60 per cent., at the rate of 1.30c per kilowatt hour.

Load factors of less than 50 per cent., at the rate of 1.30c per kilowatt hour.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

GIVEN A CHANCE TO BE HONEST.

COURT PUTS YOUNG EMBEZZLER ON PROBATION.

Former Collector for Packing Company Denies Criminal Intent—His Previous Faithfulness to Duty and the Fact That He Has a Wife Save Him from Prison.

C. A. Bartell, a young man, whose features, though showing weakness, were not of the criminal type, yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement, and was placed on probation for three years by Judge Wilbur.

Braving the manifest displeasure of the judge, young Bartell adhered to the story he has told all along—that he lost the money and dared not report it, hoping to make up the loss before it could be discovered by his employers. The shortage alleged in the complaint was $323.

Deputy Dist.-Atty. North, in bringing the case before the judge, practically urged probation, and the young man's immediate superior in the offices of the Cudahy Packing Company's local concern testified to his faithful performance of his duties and to his good behavior previous to the time when the shortage in his accounts was discovered. The judge appeared to be favorably impressed till Bartell began to tell his own story on the witness stand.

"I lost $157 out of my pocket one day, and I thought I could make it up without letting any one know, by letting it run on for a few weeks, transferring accounts from one week to another," said Bartell simply, after being sworn. "I discovered I wasn't able, and I began to worry.

"I kept on transferring the accounts. There wasn't always a payment in a week that would be the exact amount, and I would have some money left in my pocket. I may have spent some of that, but I never used any money belonging to the company intentionally. I carried all those changes in my head, and may have got them mixed."

"But if that's true, you are not guilty of a felony at all," said the judge sternly, with manifest disapproval.

"You have a wife and child, Mr. White said?" he asked a moment later, in seeming perplexity.

"I have a wife. The baby died after this trouble began."

"How much money did you handle in a week, as collector for this company?"

"About $4000." This was verified by Mr. White.

"But you pleaded guilty here," went on the judge, frowning slightly. "Mr. North, did you investigate this story of his?"

"As far as we could, your Honor. We have to take his word for it. The committing magistrate stated that he had doubts of the defendant's guilt. I think, with the evidence we have, we could have secured a conviction from a jury."

"How much were you paid?" the judge asked the prisoner, but did not follow that line of questioning after Bartell had answered that the amount was $75 a month.

The judge sat silent for a moment, with compressed lips.

"Come around here," he said sharply to the prisoner, who left the witness stand and stood before the bench. The judge reached for a volume of the statutes on the bench, but he set it back without opening it.

"You have entered your plea of guilty to this charge. Have you any legal cause to offer why judgment should not be pronounced upon you?"

The young man seemed dazed, frightened at the tone and did not grasp the words.

"I didn't hear," he stammered.

The judge repeated, and then, after another moment, he gave the judgment of suspended sentence, adding a forbidding word-picture of what probation meant.

Bartell, seemingly in a daze, was led away by Jailer Aguirre. He will report to Probation Officer Dodds.

FOR OFFICE LICENSES.

BUILDINGS' OWNERS SUED.

Suits were filed yesterday in the Superior Court by City Attorney Hewitt, for the city, against the owners of two office buildings, the Union Trust Company and the J. B. Lankershim, for the sums of $636 and $309, respectively, alleged to be due as licenses.

The ordinance under which the action is brought was passed by the City Council on February 27, 1903. It imposes a tax of $1 a year for each office-room and $3 a year for each store-room. The complaint in each case states that this license never has been paid by the defendant. The amounts sued for represent the total alleged to be due for licenses for three years.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

STEAL GRAPES. Frank Abbott and W. Sorter, two boys accused of driving to Fruitland in a wagon and stealing eight boxes of Tokay grapes from a vineyard there, admitted their guilt in Justice Selph's court yesterday, and were given the alternative of $20 fine or twenty-five days in the County Jail. They are in jail.

MILLER HELD. Joe Miller, charged with grand larceny for the theft of two watches at Inglewood, yesterday was held by Justice Pierce for trial in the Superior Court.

PERJURY CHARGED. A complaint charging perjury in the recent trial of the civil action of E. A. Cline against H. L. Drake, was filed against H. L. Drake yesterday in Justice Selph's court. E. A. Cline is the complaining witness. It is charged that the sworn testimony of Drake at the trial in question is contradicted by documentary evidence. Drake was admitted to bail in the sum of $1000.

MALIBU GATES. The gates on the Malibu ranch, closing the road which settlers beyond the ranch demand the use of may be objects of litigation as a result of investigations pursued by Deputy Dist.-Atty. Hartley Shaw.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

CRUSADE BEGUN TO SAVE GIRLS.

DANCE HALL MAN IS ARRAIGNED ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

Accused of Inducing Los Angeles Maiden to Leave Home—Rich Woman Fined in Police Court for Begging—Case Against Dog-Catcher Dismissed.

A complaint was issued yesterday against James B. Claudius, alias Billy Lorraine, charging him with abduction. It is alleged that he took Vesta Grubbs, 16 years of age, from Los Angeles to Bakersfield for the purpose of compelling her to become an inmate of a disorderly house.

The arrest of Claudius is simply the beginning of a war on men who come to Los Angeles to get young girls for their dance halls. According to the statement of Deputy Dist.-Atty. Pearson, the dance hall keepers come to this city and advertise for girls to serve as waitresses. Many girls are induced to leave their homes by the promise of high pay and big tips. They are put in short skirts, are compelled to dance in the beer halls and are given a percentage on every drink they can wheedle the patrons of the places into buying for them.

Claudius came to Los Angeles several weeks ago in search of girls, it is claimed. He is floor manager of the Palace Dance Hall at Bakersfield. When Vesta Grubbs went north with him her parents instituted the search that ended in her arrest and the arrest of Claudius.

Claudius was first arraigned on the charge of putting a girl under the age of 18 years into a disorderly house without the consent of her parents or guardians, but this charge was changed yesterday to a more serious one. The case was continued.

Owns Lots But Begs.

Miss Libby Miller, 65 years of age, was yesterday fined $150 by Justice Rose after she had pleaded guilty to a charge of professional begging. The woman, according to the evidence offered by witnesses, had been representing herself as a worker in behalf of a mission and had been keeping everything she collected.

She was arrested several weeks ago and at that time had $200 in her possession. An investigation showed that she held deeds to thirty-seven lots in Long Baech, Ocean Park and Los Angeles and her bank account showed that she had more than $15,000 on deposit.

Miss Miller denied that she had begged and stated that the money she had had been given her by friends. Yesterday her attorney at first entered a plea of not guilty but later, at her suggestion, changed the plea and asked the mercy of the court.

"It is a shame to impose on the public in the way you have," said Justice Rose. "The people who have been helping you with their funds thought that such funds went for a good purpose, but such was not the case. Instead of collecting for the Lord, you collected for yourself and you cheated charity out of its deserts. The next time you appear before me on this charge, your fine will be much more severe."

Dog-Catcher Released.

The charge of assault with a deadly weapon, recently preferred against William Vacher, deputy city pound master, was dismissed yesterday.

Vacher had been complained against by William Webb of Echo Park Road, who alleged that Vacher had pointed a revolver at him. During the course of the preliminary examination it developed that Vacher had drawn his revolver only in self-defense after having been attacked.

Burying Cats Brings Fine.

Because he buried deceased felines in his back yard, Dr. R. P. Martenette of No. 123 West Twenty-eighth street was fined $5 in the Police Court yesterday. The doctor had been arrested by officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Neighbors had reported that cats were being cruely treated by the doctor and it was alleged that he was practicing vivisection. At his trial yesterday it developed that his worst offense had been caring for forlorn cats and burying them in his back yard when they died.

Japanese on Chain Gang.

In default of payment of a fine of $150, imposed upon him by Justice Chambers yesterday, S. Youen, a Japanese restaurant keeper of No. 622 East Fifth street, began a long service on the chain gang. According to the report of a restaurant inspector the place of the Japanese was unclean.

THE FEDERAL COURTS.

High Class of Brains and Ability Are Needed for Jury Duty, Says Judge Wellborn.

When the list of names in the Federal Court venire for the fall term jurors was called yesterday morning before Judge Wellborn, it was like reading the roster of some of the representative citizens of Los Angeles. In commenting on this fact the court took occasion to say that the duties of a Federal jury call for a high class of ability and brains. "The United States affords you gentlemen protection to life and property," continued the judge, "and you should be proud to sit on this jury. No trivial excuses will be considered for non-attendance."

After a number were excused for good reasons, forty-two jurors were sworn in. The list is: Albert A. Allen, G. A. Bobrick, Uriah R. Bower, C. W. Conway, W. J. Cullen, George W. Ditch, Henry B. Dewing, Frank L. Forrester, Edward W. Grannis, George W. Grimes, Benjamin F. Gardner, John T. Griffith, Harold Gibson, George T. Hanley, Arthur S. Hill, W. G. Hambright, Charles O. Hawley, D. P. Harrison, William H. Hoegee, William P. Holmes, Jacob Jepson, Jr., Roy Jones, John Koster, Louis G. LeSage, Joseph H. Lapham, N. S. Montague, Joseph A. Moorian, H. H. Metcalf, Porter H. Matthews, John H. McNeill, Charles A. Mead, Fred J. Nicholson, Albert Phelps, J. A. Rosestell, Alvah W. Ross, George A. Ralphs, W. W. Robinson, Benjamin F. Sanborn, R. F. Skellenger, Alexander Weiss, John D. Young, Henry A. Zech. The jurors were excused until Tuesday.

The cases against "Olly" Watkins and his former associates in the California Fruit Growers' Association were called yesterday at the opening of the United States District Court, and were continued to September 22 for argument on demurrer. Watkins is now the only member of the swindling gang in the County Jail.

ONLY LEGAL FIREWORKS.

President of Pyrotechnical Display Company Hopes All Who Want Has an Attachment.

While Fiesta Park, where the pyrotechnic shoot-off of the "Destruction of San Francisco" is advertised to "show" nightly, remains dark and quiet, a spectacle suggesting pyrotechnics has been taking place in the Bumiller building, where are the offices of the concern.

At frequent intervals yesterday a throng of eager persons gathered at the doors of the offices, which remained inhospitably closed against them, while within a small individual laughed with loud scorn of circumstances and chaffed two gloomy companions about the situation which confronted them.

The small man was Charles J. Campbell, president of the Pyrotechnical Display Company, on which a score of attachments have been put in the past two days.

The first blow came from Morley and Hemphill, lessees of Fiesta Park, who brought an action against Charles J. Campbell for $500 rent. Then Varney & Green assigned a claim of $1000 for billboard advertising to the Becker Law and Collection Agency, and the first effective attachment was secured. J. B. Smith, with a bill of $750 for lumber, was next in line. Carpenters, blacksmiths and others connected with the show, joined in the scramble, it is said.

The whole trouble appeared to begin with the failure of the advertised "destruction" Wednesday night. This apparently implanted the poison of doubt in the minds of many creditors.

"I hope every one we owe anything to has got an attachment," said President Campbell to a Times reporter last night. "We shall be able to give bond for the amount and get out of town. It's not easy to get money all in a moment, with the banks paying each other 6½ per cent. for call loans.

"No, we had no surplus, and we had to show to pay expenses. I've heard that Morley and Hemphill had an idea they could get hold of the show by planting that attachment. Well, they couldn't get it, nor a piece of it, anyhow, and as it is they're in at the tail end.

"No, we won't show here again. We'll get to Denver, all right. That isn't troubling us. That's all arranged.

"Generally, with a proposition like this, people are willing to wait a day for their money, because they know it has to show to pay. Hemphill came around Monday, nice as could be, and I told him I didn't have quite $500. I offered him $400, and the other to be paid after we'd showed a couple of times. He said: 'Oh, that's all right; give me $100.' But Wednesday night, just as soon as he found we couldn't show, he was up after us.

"Everything will be paid, and we'll have a bond up to cover. The creditors couldn't get anything out of the show, unless it is doing business, because it isn't worth anything to any one but us. Morley and Hemphill couldn't run it if they had it."

SMART COLLEGE MANAGER.

G. S. Trowbridge, who has been business manager of Occidental College, resigned to accept the position of principal of the Alhambra schools, and has already entered upon his duties. The trustees of Occidental College unanimously elected W. G. Smart of Pasadena, a personal friend of W. C. Patterson, Mr. Patterson is treasurer of Occidental, and Mr. Smart in addition to occupying the position of business manager of the college will have the title of assistant treasurer. Mr. Smart has already entered upon his work.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

An examination for the position of male clerk-carrier, postoffice, will be held at the postoffice September 28. Application blanks and full information can be had from the secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, postoffice.

It is more Convenient to prepare BISHOP'S CUP CHOCOLATE Than any other Hot drink

Dissolve the cake in a cup of boiling water—serve. Each cake contains the milk and sugar.

BISHOP & COMPANY

TEA

A tired woman; a fresh pot of tea; there is joy all over her face.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

The new Fall Suits for Women have arrived.

Matheson & Berner, Broadway, Corner Third

PARTICULAR NOTICE Be sure you're right. Brent's is not on the corner of Seventh and Main, as many people suppose, but a little farther toward Eighth street.—Nos. 712-714-716-718 South Main street.

BRENT'S 710-712-714-716-718 SOUTH MAIN

FREE PASS Upon presentation of coupon, we refund car fare to all customers on all purchases of $5 and over, except hour specials, and prepay freight to all points in Southern California.

We Are Positively Selling Out

We are determined to empty this big store of every stick of furniture. We must do it before the reconstruction can be started. We need room more than we do money or we could not sell furniture at panic prices.

SATURDAY'S HOUR SPECIALS—8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

8 TO 9 — CHOICE OF ENTIRE STOCK OF GENUINE Saxony Axminster carpets. All patterns and colors. Today, 8 to 9 ..... 95c Yd.

9 TO 10 — BEST COMBINATION KITCHEN TABLE. Size of top 26x46, has double flour bins, 2 drawers and moulding board, today, ... $3.50

10 TO 11 — HANDSOME BRUSSELS RUGS. Size 9x12; good patterns and colors. Today, 10 to 11 ..... $10.75

11 TO 12 — POPULAR IRON BED. Like cut. Has square top, brass vases, comes in white enamel, Vernis Martin and moss green bronze. 4-6 and 2-6 sizes. Today, 11 to 12..... $3.75

1 TO 2 — BEST ALL WOOL ART SQUARES— 7-6x9 ..... $5.10 | 9x10-6 ..... $6.85 9x9 ..... $5.95 | 9x12 ..... $7.85

2 TO 3 — BEST SANITARY STEEL COUCH. May be used as couch by day and full size bed at night. Today, 2 to 3 ..... $3.65

3 TO 4 — SOLID OAK EXTENSION TABLE. Has 42-inch square top, golden or weathered finish. Extends to 6 feet. Has five heavy legs. Today, 3 to 4 ..... $7.95

4 TO 5 — GOOD LINOLEUM. Good patterns and colors. Today, 4 to 5 ..... 38c

5 TO 6 — SANITARY MATTRESS. Made of sea moss and pure white cotton. All sizes. Today, 5 to 6.. $3.75

6 TO 10 — MATTING SPECIAL. Your choice of entire stock of matting, except white, all patterns and colors. Tonight, 6 to 10 ..... 20c Yd.

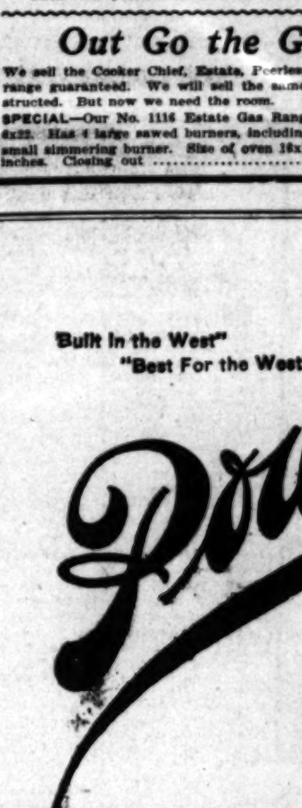
6 TO 7 — GOOD WINDOW SHADES complete. Tonight, 6 to 7 .....

7 TO 8 — GOOD BOX COUCH. Good ticking, stitched edge. Best springs. To night, 7 to 8 ..... $2.

8 TO 9 — SOLID OAK DRESSER. Golden cut. Has 42-inch base, with top drawers. Has 20x24 inch plate mirror. Excellent finish. Tonight, 8 to 9..... $

9 TO 10 — HANDSOME SAXONY AXMINSTER RUGS. Size 9x12. Tonight, 9 to 10 ..... $

9:30 TO 10 — STANDARD ALARM CLOCKS. To night, 9:30 to 10, in machine department .....



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Progress in Effort to Unite Denominations.

The Church Federation held a meeting yesterday at the Federation Club, at which an effort was made to have representatives present from every church in the city. Many important details of Dr. Torrey's January campaign were arranged, including the scheduling of a large number of cottage prayer-meetings and noon meetings in offices and shops. The finance committee reported a budget of expenses aggregating $8000. The chief item in the budget is $2500 for the rent of Morley's Rink for the month of January.

The meeting authorized General Secretary Luther to extend an invitation to the International convention of the Y.M.C.A. to meet here in 1909.

SPLENDID RECORD.

STRAIGHT-LACED ELDER WINS.

Rev. Harcourt W. Peck, presiding elder of the Fresno district of the Methodist church, will make a phenomenal report to the conference when it meets here on September 25. This is the close of Dr. Peck's first year as a presiding elder in what is acknowledged to be a very difficult field, but he will report eleven new charges formed, eight churches built and an increase of more than 1000 in the membership of his district. He will also give notice that there has been a general increase of pastors' salaries in his district.

Dr. Peck is a Methodist of the straight-laced variety, and for several years did little else than go after the errors of the "higher critics" in the Boston Seminary.

UNITED BRETHREN.

CONFERENCE CLOSES.

Dr. L. A. Cornell and Rev. R. L. Parks have returned to Los Angeles, after the sessions of the annual conference of United Brethren of California, held in Oakland, and presided over by Bishop William Bell.

The appointments of pastors for Southern California are as follows: Los Angeles, First Church, Dr. L. A. Cornell; Second Church, Rev. R. L. Parks; Azusa, Rev. J. M. Frame; Whittier, Rev. J. Q. Cline; Riverside, Rev. R. M. Bell.

Rev. J. Q. Cline is transferred from this conference. The body indorsed the proposed union of the United Brethren, Congregationalists and Protestant Methodists. The Congregational general assembly will act upon the subject next October; the Methodist Protestants will decide upon it at their general conference next May, and the final vote will be taken by the United Brethren one year from next May.

LONG PASTORATE.

SEVENTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

Rev. A. C. Smither, pastor of the Christian Church, will celebrate the seventeenth anniversary of his pastorate tomorrow. There is more than one notable feature about this anniversary. It is Mr. Smither's first and only pastorate; he organized the congregation and built the church in which it now worships, and is the oldest pastor, in point of service, in the city. All the other Disciples' churches in the city have grown from Mr. Smither's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Smithers have just returned from an extensive tour of the Holy Land. A special effort will be made to have every member of the church and Sunday-school present at the anniversary services tomorrow. In the evening Rev. Mr. Smithers will deliver an illustrated lecture, entitled: "To the Nile."

JEWISH NEW YEAR.

THREE-DAY CELEBRATION.

The Sinai Congregation will celebrate the Jewish New Year and will hold special services in the Simpson Auditorium on Sunday at 6 p.m.; Monday, at 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., and on Tuesday at 7:30 a.m. The services will be under the direction of Rabbi Isidore Myers, B.A., who will deliver sermons on "A Happy New Year," "The Warfare," "Our Motto," and "What Is Your Wish?" The main musical parts of the services will be conducted by the cantor, Rev. Max Shoyeson, of Cincinnati, assisted by a choir of twenty men.

RELIGIOUS BRIEFS.

SALVATIONISTS' FAREWELL.

Dr. Ill McClish, pastor of the West Adams Methodist Church, will deliver a lecture in the church on Tuesday next, entitled, "Man's Greatness, as Seen by His Achievements." It will be under the auspices of the "Three C's," a class of young men taught by Mr. F. H. Bodkin. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the building fund of the new church.

A farewell service to Maj. and Mrs. Morton of the Salvation Army will be held in the Hill-street headquarters tomorrow. They will leave early next week for their new field of labor at Phoenix, Ariz. Maj. Morton will be succeeded here by Maj. Frank Walt.

The Boys' Brigade of the First Congregational Church is in camp at Laguna Beach.

Labor Day will be observed as rally day in the Bethlehem branch at Railroad and Main streets.

Services of the Main-street Baptist Church will be conducted at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in Masonic Hall at Fourth and Main streets by Rev. W. A. Perry.

Rev. Dr. William Horace Day has returned from a vacation spent at Lake Tahoe, and will occupy his pulpit tomorrow morning.

Rev. L. A. Gould, who for five years was a missionary in China, will conduct mission-study courses at the Y.M. and Y.W.C.A., beginning the first week in October. Persons wishing to take the classes must apply at the associations.

The talk about the "gift of tongues" will no doubt draw a large crowd of people to hear Rev. George Soltau of Australia, who will speak at the men's meeting of the Y.M.C.A. on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Soltau has come from Australia, and will tell the same craze there that has recently been exciting some Los Angeles people.

Rev. William H. Walker will speak at the Union Rescue Mission on Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Baker of the City Rescue Mission. Rev. E. McVay will speak on "Blind Baggage" at the Pico Heights Congregational Church, Sunday evening, the address being the story of his conversion on the street.

Dr. N. L. Rowell, pastor of Salem Congregational Church, who has been spending a month in the mountains with his family, has returned to the city and will occupy his pulpit tomorrow.

W. F. Shelley, formerly an evangelist under the American Baptist Home Missionary Society, but now a secretary in the Los Angeles Aqueduct Bureau, will speak tomorrow morning and evening in the Bovie Heights Christian Church. Special music will be rendered by a quartette choir.

The members of the Delta Chi class of the Magnolia Avenue Christian Church tendered a reception in the parlors of the church last night in honor of their teacher, Charles O. Goodwin, who will leave the first of the week for an extended visit through the East.

SORROW TOO GREAT.

Grief-stricken Mother Commits Suicide Soon After the Death of Her Baby.

With a big French doll cuddled to her breast and her left hand clutched in the curls of the blonde wig, Beatrice Welborn, a mulatto girl, was found dying in her room at a resort on North Alameda street yesterday afternoon.

That the woman committed suicide is the belief of the police, although when they arrived at the room, they found the woman's body on the bed and the revolver lying on a dresser some distance away.

Inmates of the house later explained that after hearing the shot fired they had rushed to the room and in their excitement had picked up the revolver and put it where it was found.

The death of the woman was pathetic in that it resulted from her love for her baby. The little one died a few months ago, and since that time the Welborn woman had lugged the French doll about with her treating it as though it were her baby.

Yesterday afternoon after locking herself in her room and holding the big doll tight to her breast, she shot herself. An inquest will be held today.

FENDER DIDN'T SAVE HIM.

Telephone Company Employee Loses His Life in Attempt to Cross Tracks In Front of Car.

E. A. Bejar, 24 years of age, an employé of the Sunset Telephone Company, was run down and fatally injured by a north-bound car on Main street, near Arcadia, yesterday morning.

Bejar was riding a motorcycle and, according to the report of the motorman, attempted to cross in front of the car. The fender caught his wheel and hurled him to the gutter. At the Receiving Hospital the surgeons made a desperate effort to revive the man but to no avail.

He had suffered a fracture of the left arm and contusions about the right side, but the direct cause of death was the shock.

Bejar lived at No. 962 Girard street. He was married.

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50c Infants' Wear 25c

Some good 50c articles which 25c will buy in Infants' Department Saturday.
Infants' 50c white Domet flannel night gowns for 25c.
Infants' 50 crocheted Zephyr Bootees for 25c.
Infants' crocheted sacques, assorted colors, 25c.
Infants' 50c long domet flannel skirts for 25c.
Infants' Domet flannel shoulder blankets for 25c.

98c Buys Choice of Lawn and Linen Suits Worth From $3.50 to $8.50

A sensational Saturday morning clearance of women's lawn and linen suits that establishes a new record for value in women's wear. Every suit is new,—made of best materials—perfectly finished and in the latest style. The lawn suits sold originally for $3.50 and $5.00; they are made of pretty, dainty fabrics in dots and floral patterns, many with lace yokes. The linen suits sold originally for $5.00, $6.50 and $8.50; they come in eton and Prince Chap styles in white and blue. Women's wash suits worth $3.50, $5.00, $6.50 and $8.50, on sale Saturday morning, choice 98c

Silks at 22c Worth to $1.00 a Yard

Waist, skirt and dress lengths of plain and fancy silks that sell regularly at from 50c to $1.00 on sale Saturday morning at 22c a yard. It is the most interesting silk sale of the season, for the collection comprises exactly those fabrics which are being bought freely at regular prices. Included are fancy taffetas, Roman stripes, Louisenes, Messalines, liberty silk, foulards, Japanese silks, etc., in almost every wanted color. Lengths range from 4 to 20 yards. The opportunity to purchase desirable silks at one-fourth actual values should attract tremendous trading, and we advise early shopping if possible. Silks that sell regularly for 50c, 75c, 85c and $1.00, on sale Saturday morning, yard 22c

10c Soaps 3c

Complete line of Armour's toilet soaps, all odors, glycerine, Bay Rum, Bouquet, Oatmeal, Palm, Castile, Clover Blossom, Turkish Bath, Heather Honey, Carracella, etc. Regular price 10c. Saturday morning, cake 3c

BEST 15c TOILET SOAPS, all odors, Medicinal Tar, Sulphur, Carbolic, Lanolin, Lettuce, Lilac, Heliotrope, Violet Scented Glycerine, Japanese toilet soaps, Geyserite, etc. Regular price 15c, Saturday morning, cake 7c

12c Percale 6c

Splendid quality percales, 32 inches wide, medium and dark blue, red, claret, brown, black, gray, etc., in neat pretty patterns, most satisfactory fabrics for wash suits, school dresses and house gowns, regular 12c value, on sale Saturday morning, yard 6c

25c Towels 12 1-2c

Large size, pure white bleached Turkish bath towels, 19x46 inches, closely tied, heavy weight, very absorbent, regular 25c value, on sale Saturday morning, each 12½c

GOOD QUALITY UNBLEACHED TURKISH BATH TOWELS, fringed red stripe border, size 18x40, regular 15c value, on sale Saturday morning, each 8½c

50c Rompers 29c

Children's play suits or rompers, made of durable chambray, fast colors in dark and light blue and rose; sizes 6 months to 4 years; regular price 50c, on sale Saturday morning, suit 29c

Boys' 35c Underwear 11c

Boys' good quality gray ribbed underwear, shirts and drawers; medium weight; regular 35c value. On sale Saturday morning at 11c

Men's 75c Night Shirts 42c

Men's outing flannel night shirts; good quality materials; heavy weight; cut large and full; all sizes; best 75c quality. On sale Saturday morning at 42c

Women's $4.00 Shoes $2.45

Women's fine suede (undressed) colonials and oxford ties; black, pearl gray, brown and green; fashion's favorite footwear for fastidious women; all sizes; best $4.00 quality; regular lines that arrived late. To be closed Saturday morning at, a pair $2.45

Women's $2.00 Shoes $1.39

Women's black vici kid shoes; desirable styles in lace and blucher cut; light and medium soles; low, common sense and school heels; all sizes and widths; best $2.00 quality. On sale Saturday morning, pair $1.39

$1.25 Waists 39c; $5.00 Linene Coats 98c; $8.50 Coats $1.98

Amazing Saturday morning bargains in women's wear—prices reduced to one-fourth of original figures. Women's white lawn waists, good quality materials, prettily trimmed with tucks, lace, insertion and medallions, open front or open back, all this season's styles; regular prices $1.19 and $1.25. Saturday morning, choice 39c

LINENE BOX COATS; GOOD quality materials in white and blue; natty tailored styles; regular prices $3.50 and $5.00. On sale Saturday morning, choice 98c

WOMEN'S AUTO COATS; TAN, blue and white poplin and linene; desirable styles; handsomely tailored; velvet collar and cuffs; regularly $8.50. Saturday morning 98c $1.98

WOMEN'S FINE CAMBRIC PETTICOATS; pretty styles; trimmed with deep flounce of lace or embroidery; splendid quality materials; regular $1.00 and $1.25 skirts. On sale Saturday at 75c

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Unrestricted choice from our entire stock of white linen parasols up to $2.50; hemstitched, plaited or scalloped edge, natural wood, cane and enamel handles; all this season's goods; all clean and in perfect condition. On sale Saturday morning at 78c

10c Handkerchiefs 3c

Women's handkerchiefs; plain hemstitched; colored border or prettily embroidered; also hemstitched and initialed; fine lawns; regular 10c quality. On sale Saturday morning, not more than 12 to a customer. Each 3c

25c Ribbons 5c

All silk Dresden and fancy ribbons; widths to 4 inches; in the new color combinations; suitable for sashes, girdles, neckwear and millinery purposes; good quality; regular 25c value. Special Saturday 5c

$3.75 Gloves $2.98

Women's 16-button glace kid gloves; select skins; perfect fitting; best quality; colors black, white, tan, brown, mode, gray, green, oxblood, navy, pink and light blue; regular $3.75 value. Special Saturday $2.98

Women's 12 1-2c Hose 5c

Women's black cotton hose, spliced heel and toe; elastic welt; guaranteed absolutely fast black; good quality, regular 12½c value; special Saturday 5c

Women's 15c Vests 7c

Women's white cotton ribbed vests; low neck, sleeveless; taped arm and neck; regular and extra sizes; regular 15c values, special Saturday 7c

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PART II: EDITORIAL, LOCAL AND BUSINESS SECTION

Pen Points

What's not the matter with San Francisco?

Every dog has his day and every cat has her night.

There seems to be a disposition to hunt down the spook trust.

Motto for stock brokers: Beware of Jim Hill when he looks cheerful.

Patrick Calhoun might try those bombproof cars that they use in Russia.

Women seem to take a much greater delight in ballooning than men do. Balloons are expensive.

Even a millionaire occasionally finds the price of another man's wife more than he is willing to pay.

We trust that while Mr. Taft is in Seattle he will not wander into the city forests and get lost.

The padres would never have given San Francisco its name had they known it would turn out this way.

France does not appear to regard the situation in Morocco with nearly as much alarm as Germany regards it.

The revolution reported from Argentina a few days ago is evidently going around disguised as a Quaker meeting.

The dog catcher complains that he is persecuted because of his politics. Is Walter Parker trying to get his job?

The labor unions of San Francisco are determined to win if they must murder every woman and child in the town.

Private Dalzell, the tireless and perennial, will be a candidate for postmaster of the next House of Representatives.

If the French in Morocco will venture into the hill country they are apt to find it very similar to the hell country.

It seems that we are treating the Hindus in this country quite as badly as the Hindus would treat us were we in their country.

No one who reads the speeches of Mr. Fairbanks can fail to be impressed with the gentlemanly attitude that he maintains toward the trusts.

Mr. Bryan is surer than ever that the Oklahoma Constitution is all right since the report has reached him that Judge Taft says it is pretty much all wrong.

Henry Rogers has won a big lawsuit in Massachusetts, thus proving that a rich man sometimes has a show in this country when he has right on his side.

Now that Luther Burbank is prepared to fill the desert with things to eat, all that's necessary is for some other genius to come along and fill it full of wells.

We feel that the Cubans are as shiftless as they are charged with being. They are even too lazy to start something when there is a lack of real news all over the world.

The firm of New York brokers who went broke on a tip from Jim Hill might have known better than to pay any attention to him except when he was in a pessimistic mood.

Every time you take your little old coal-oil can to the store you may know that you are contributing to a $29,000,000 fund that is being looked after at No. 26 Broadway, N. Y.

A local astronomer says that a comet can be seen by those who look up at the sky at 4 o'clock in the morning. We'll try to think of it some morning when we are going home about that time.

As head of the Board of Public Works, Michael Casey will doubtless see to it that at least enough brickbats are left lying around to come in handy for the "lids" when a street car is to be attacked.

If Japs or negroes or Chinamen were tearing women's arms from the sockets and butchering babies in San Francisco, instead of the apparently privileged ruffians of the labor unions who are doing so, the State militia would be called out in an hour.

We refuse to believe that the fellow who is accused of swindling a Watsonville farmer is a San Francisco walking delegate. Times are too good in San Francisco for walking delegates to be forced out into the country to play the Rubes for suckers.

The more we see of the Jap at close range, the greater our amazement at the florid imaginations of the war correspondents who pictured him as the most wonderful of created beings. Down in Mexico he has turned out to be the inferior of the peon at working, fighting, and everything else but loafing on his job.

Thank the Lord, there are indications that false prophets are losing caste in this country if not in Asia and Africa. The senseless swallowing of the drool of such creatures as Dowie is not going on so alarmingly. Have you noticed that none of the great, keen intellects of the country have even been affected?

UNSAFE GENERALIZATIONS.

A correspondent addresses to The Times the following communication:

"Why is it that the most assiduous and prominent of all professional reformers are those who either have long fed at the public trough and have been obliged to stand aside and make room for somebody else, or have sought to get into it and failed? Cause and effect."

The Times has noticed certain developments which might lead a superficial observer to this generalization, but is of the opinion that it is unsound. Our correspondent has jumped to a hasty conclusion, we would say. Probably the phenomena that may attract his attention are mere coincidences. To assume that virtuous "outs" want to drive sinful "ins" from offices simply because they desire to be "ins" themselves would obviously be a reductio ad absurdum. It is apparent to the wisest and most deeply-scrutinizing philosophers that when the disappointed office-seeker br defeated would-be boss comes to the front as the only genuine leader of the only real host of purity, and proclaims himself as the only Simon-pure messenger of the only blown-in-the-bottle programme of righteousness, it is only a coincidence—nothing more.

And because geese enjoy making a loud noise while paddling about in the water it is unfair to conclude that all creatures that swim also honk.

THE GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT.

The movement for good roads is taking hold of the people of all the counties in Southern California as few ideas have caught in recent years. The sentiment in favor of this campaign is very general among all classes. For one county to make good roads isolated from connections with the surrounding country would be but a half-way benefit. But with a general movement among the different counties, the greatly desired object will be finally and fully attained.

There is particularly strong sentiment in favor of good roads in the coast counties adjoining Los Angeles to the north. Ventura and Santa Barbara seem to be very earnest in advocating the building of at least one good thoroughfare for the whole length of these counties. Santa Barbara favors macadamized roads on account of the abundance of material to be had for nothing and generally just where it is needed. In parts of Ventura the construction of a macadam road would be more costly; but some substitute may be decided upon as may seem most useful and economical.

This section is particularly adaptable to this movement. The roads leading from the city of Los Angeles, after reaching the beach, traverse a scenic hill country, or if a road should go out through Hollywood and from there through the Susanna Pass, a scarcely less beautiful region of hill country would be traversed. Once over the mountains the sea is in view and remains so throughout the whole distance to the extreme northern end of Santa Barbara. On the other side of the valley lies a stretch of the most picturesque mountain scenery on the coast. About Santa Barbara the mountains are famous for their grandeur. There they come so close to the ocean that the intervening space is very narrow, the city of Santa Barbara nestling in the middle of the curve of the bay, the whole forming a scene of transcendent beauty.

No time should be lost in carrying out the plans that the road commissions are formulating. The work has been delayed too long already. It will require many months to make much of a beginning—and years to complete a thoroughfare of this extent, even although the work will be carried on at separate points. It is an investment which will bring back very large returns to the property holders all along the route, and will enhance the value of all property adjacent. As a means of increasing our enjoyment of life in this country of remarkably salubrious climate, the roads are very important; but the scenic effects and the pleasure of the tourist are not the only matters at stake. The crops are various and very abundant in the country through which these roads are to pass. The saving of expense in hauling crops over properly made roads will be a very large consideration to the farmers and fruit growers.

With a main thoroughfare once built, it will need no urging to bring the farmers all through that section of the country to build short belt lines across country. The different districts will soon see the advantage and take it up of their own initiative.

The members of the irrigation congress showed their level-headedness by recognizing that the protective tariff is as essential to the prosperity of the crop-raisers as to that of any industrial class on the continent. It is assuring to note that the producers of the country are beginning to scent the danger in the agitation of the tariff-haters for tariff-tinkering with malice aforethought.

THE SPOUTING WONDER OF THE WILDERNESS—THE PERPETUAL GEYSER.

WERE THEY MARRIED?

There appears to be more or less excitement in Minneapolis over the question whether two young people of that town are really married or not. It seems that they took part in a play and were put through a marriage ceremony, in which the young man and young woman were asked the customary question as to whether they would take each other for better or for worse until death did them part. They said they would in the presence of a large audience which is now called upon to stand as witnesses. A lawyer has given it as his opinion that no two people in the world were ever more married than are these two.

The lawyer in the case may know what he is talking about, but there are those who will violently dispute the conclusion he has arrived at. No marriage can be consummated in play. It is a thing that cannot be wrought out in a spirit of mockery. In other words, marriage is no joke. Marriage anticipates and necessitates deliberation and must be perpetrated with malice aforethought and by lying in wait by persons of reasonable being under the King's peace. Jumping over broomsticks doesn't go. The knot has got to be tied and the victims must be able to show where the ropes made marks on their wrists.

And yet, why all this excitement in Minneapolis? If the parties are not pleased with the turn things have taken and are not satisfied with the bargain—if such it may be called—there's an easy way out of it. There are courts galore and they would as lief grant a divorce as a marriage license any day.

A THORNLESS CACTUS.

Luther Burbank, who is justly called the "wizard" of vegetable cultivation, made a very important announcement at the National Irrigation Congress on Thursday, as to the evolution of a thornless cactus and from this developing a variety which would produce the largest possible tonnage to the acre.

Mr. Burbank made statements as to the value of cactus as a forage plant which may have surprised most of his hearers. It certainly is no news to those who are acquainted with the history of Southern California. In the old days, when all the country was devoted to grazing and an occasional dry year or one of scant rainfall occurred, the hungry cattle turned to the cactus hedges and ate them almost to the roots. In spite of the spines upon the plants the famishing beasts devoured them greedily. Many cattlemen invented crude mills in which they pounded the plant in order to destroy the thorns. This cactus pulp proved to be one of the best cattle feeds known. This is all a matter of history.

With Mr. Burbank's development of a thornless cactus and a variety which will produce 200 tons to the acre on the most arid soils of Southern California, Arizona, Nevada and Utah, adding New Mexico and Colorado, we have opened up before us for the future a vista of possible profit in cattle raising that is dazzling. The best fodder plants known at the present time stop at about 100 tons of forage to the acre. There is probably not one, including turnips and beets, which will prove on experiment better for the use of cattle than the cactus if it can be produced without thorns.

Of course Burbank's experiment is only in its inception. He has produced a thornless cactus. He has developed a variety of this which will yield 200 tons of forage an acre. Now the question arises, how we shall propagate this important plant upon the arid soils of the Great Southwest? If the plants are set out where the thorny varieties of cactus abound, will not the improved plant revert to its original habit? Will not the thorny plant hybridize with the thornless one, and as for a long time the one with thorns will greatly predominate, will it not end in undoing the work of Luther Burbank?

If practical means now can be devised for establishing this thornless cactus all over the arid plains of the Southwest, we shall have a cattle pasture such as the world has never known. Mr. Burbank does not inform us what kind of soil and how much care and cultivation will be needed to produce 200 tons of forage from his thornless cactus. Of course if it requires a high degree of cultivation with great care, the results will still be important. But if he can assure the stock raiser that this thornless cactus of which he speaks will take care of itself upon the desert, its value will be increased a great many fold.

The cactus of Southern California upon the fertile plains and upon the arid desert never has seemed to show any signs of suffering from the most protracted terms of drouth ever experienced here. There are many plants which get most of their sustenance from the air. Indeed, this statement may be generally used in reference to all plant life. The trees of the forest and the plants used for food for men and domestic animals draw nearly all their growth not from the soil, but from the air. Moisture in the soil is a necessity for most of these plants, but there are a few, the gourd family, the cactus family and many varieties of weeds well known all over Southern California, which seem to have no dependence at all upon the supply of moisture in the soil. They flourish upon the barest hillsides, in the most rainless districts. Many of them are unseen in California during the seasons of rainfall and only come into prominent view during the dry season. The drier the period the better they seem to grow.

With the hillsides and the plains generally dotted with large patches of eucalyptus trees and the whole arid country generally flourishing with an abundance of this thornless cactus plant firmly established, the appearance of the Southwest would be radically changed and its wealth-producing capacity would not be simply doubled, but would be increased many times. The arid lands would become converted into the most important cattle pastures in America. The area where such a plant might be produced is almost limitless; and the future America, whose population will number twice those of today, will see enough beef and mutton for all produced on these "cactus meadows."

SUNDAY FOR THE WATER WAGON.

The Superintendent of Streets has worked out a plan for giving the street sprinklers a holiday once a week. It appears that heretofore these drivers have worked seven days in the week. Many of them are men of almost decrepit age, but so far as the public know they have made no complaint whatever.

It is too late in the day to discuss the matter of having a holiday one day in seven. It is a relic of barbarism ordinarily to require of any human being that he shall toil every day, week in and week out.

The work of driving the water wagon is not very arduous, but the hours are not short and although it is very different from laborious occupations, yet the monotonous application to a task is exceedingly wearing. Mr. Edwards has accomplished an important humane service in devising a way by which these employés of the city shall be able to enjoy in a manner similar to other employés their weekly day of rest.

A Cheerful Pessimist.

That very eminent pessimist, James J. Hill, the Schoenhauer of American finance, after remarking the need of "a strong, calm hand to guide us," and making incidentally the movement a card player makes when he holds a straight flush, consoles Wall street with the assurance that he does not see how stocks can go much lower. His opinion was the occasion yesterday for a variety of comment in speculative circles.

James R. Keene said it reminded him of the Irish coal miner who fell down the shaft. Pat had a curious experience. The shaft was a new one, about seventy-five feet deep, and when the Irishman tumbled in he did not go the whole distance immediately. He lodged about a third of the way down, and his fellow workmen struggled to save him, Pat directing the operations. Just as they thought they had succeeded, he crashed down another twenty-five feet, when an obstruction caught him, and the rescue campaign was begun anew and with greater difficulty. When they were a second time on the point of success, to the dismay of the rescuing party, Pat went headlong into the lower deep. Now all was silent; no sound from the unfortunate Hibernian.

Leaning far over the edge of the shaft, the foreman shouted through a trumpet: "Pat, I say, Patrick."

From the darkness and mystery of the underworld came the solitary word, "Hurroo!"

"Are you much hurted, Pat?"

"I am not, begorra."

"Where are ye, Pat?"

"That's that ye're sayin'."

"Where are ye, Pat? Where the divil are ye?"

"Where am I? Where am I? Glory be to God, I'm on the bottom at lasht."—[New York Commercial.

THE MURPHY FUND.

For the support of William Murphy, who is to continue the great work of his father, Francis Murphy, in this city, subscriptions will be received by The Times and properly accounted for; or they may be sent direct to W. C. Patterson, treasurer of the fund, at the First National Bank. The following subscriptions have been received today:

Thomas Edwin Murphy	$300
C. A. Canfield	250
The Times-Mirror Company	100
Arthur Letts	100
T. Wiesendanger	100
W. C. Patterson	100
William Mead	100
Wesley Clark	50
A Friend	25
S. E. Faroat	25
C. H. Daly	25
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"Cash"	10
A. Davidson	10
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A Friend	10
Poster M. Price	10

JULY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following are the sworn statements of the circulation of The Times for July, 1907:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the circulation of said newspaper for the month of July, 1907.

JULY, 1907.			
1	50,140	17	51,080
2	50,210	18	50,980
3	50,180	19	51,130
4	50,550	20	50,060
5	50,250	21	50,000
6	50,020	22	49,800
7	48,000	23	49,780
8	50,910	24	49,970
9	50,370	25	49,500
10	51,250	26	49,020
11	52,380	27	49,000
12	52,420	28	48,000
13	51,820	29	50,750
14	50,000	30	49,870
15	50,920	31	49,580
16	50,920		

Total	1,634,780
The average circulation for every day of July, 1907, was	52,412
The average circulation for every day of July, 1906, was	49,968
Showing an average daily gain over the corresponding month of 1906 of	2,544

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, 1907.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

A. L. Dennis, being duly sworn, declares that he is and has been for ten years Superintendent of Circulation of the Los Angeles Times; that the above detailed statement of circulation for the month of July, 1907, is correct, and shows the actual number of papers printed for each day of the month named.

A. L. DENNIS,
Superintendent of Circulation, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July, 1907.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

HOROSCOPE FOR THIS DAY.

Saturday September 7, 1907.

"Dare thou today all things. Brave are the skies.
In every field of effort fortune lies."

The 250th day of the year. The moon is new. Four planets, Mars, Mercury, Venus and Uranus are in the benefic aspect with the moon this day. Venus and Mercury are with the luminaries in the fifth house of the heavens.

This is the most favorable lunation of the whole year. It is especially auspicious for young people and for all enterprises having entertainment for their object. A good day for selecting schools or beginning attendance at them.

Write letters this day asking for favors, positions, or employment as agent or broker. If you need circulars, letterheads or cards, design them today. Advertise this day or write advertisements to be printed tomorrow. Good fortune will attend.

Today is highly favorable for all transactions dealing with electricity, be the matters great or small. Searchers into the occult may look for bright light tonight in their study.

An excellent day for women and all connected with them. Courtships or marriages today are under a bright, happy star.

This afternoon and evening herbs under Mercury, Mars and Uranus are singularly potent. At 2 p.m. seek for carraway, dill, elecampane, fennel, mandrake and valerian. At 7:15 p.m. aloes, catmint, coriander, gentian and pepper-wort will be at their best. At 7:35 p.m. search for trefoil, pimpernel and myrrh.

Those whose birthdate this is will have a most excellent year. Their business and money will increase. They will travel and change, and success will attend each move. There is employment will be promoted. The will court and marry. A great come in the family circle.

The child born today will be larly lucky in all its undertakings will rise rapidly in life. Guard a fall in early life that may bones and cause long illness bility.

JOY FROM SORROW.

I borrow Joy from Sorrow,
A Rainbow from the Rain;
If Life were not in Shadow,
My Star would shine in vain.
—[R. Valantine Heckscher, in September Atlantic.

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September 10th
This date and the machinery of yield and disbursements are hitched together in the calendar of unitization

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THE FIFTEENTH QUARTER IN UNITIZATION.

Upon the 10th day of September just approaching, the associated Trustee Companies,

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THE TRUSTEE COMPANY OF SEATTLE
THE TRUSTEE COMPANY OF SPOKANE,

will distribute $51,875, being the third quarter's Preferred Dividends for 1907, upon 4150 Units, represented by nine central business properties, i. e., six in Seattle, two in Los Angeles, and one in Spokane.

On December 10th, next, the final quarterly portion of the Preferred Dividend for 1907 will be augmented by the Surplus Dividend, which, combined with the Preferred Dividend of $50 per Unit, will represent the total net rental earnings from the nine Trustee Properties for 1907.

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Word was received yesterday, that Lambardi's new company will be due in San Francisco today, on a special train. The season will commence next Monday night, with a performance of "Aida," and "Lucia" the following week. After one month in San Francisco, the company will come to Los Angeles, for a month at the Auditorium. By this time, however, there will be certain recesses for out-of-town engagements, in one of which Sousa will make his local dates.

The complete list of principals was announced yesterday, and follows, as follows:

Prima-donnas: Adelina Padovani, Maria Rosales, Lina Bertozzi, Adalgisa Gabbi and Esther Ferrabini.

Contralto and Mezzo-soprano: Amalia Cassio and Rosetta Pezzati.

Tenors: Cav. Francesco Signorini, Angelo Pavia, Domenico Delli-Franchi and Antonio Balestro.

Baritones: Giuseppe Pimazzoni, Alessandro Arcangeli and Adolfo Pacini.

Basses: Paolo Wullman, Olinto Lamberti, Ardiero Manceri and Luigi Bertini.

A letter from New York says that Lambardi had fifty chorus people when he landed, and a ballet-corps of twelve, as well as a good-sized orchestra, with Carlo Joselfo as principal director, assisted by Antonio Fugazzolo.

The local management is considering both "Huguenots" and "Gioconda" as possible operas for the re-opening of the Auditorium, but nothing will be decided upon for at least some little time after the opening San Francisco performances. Mr. Berry will be in San Francisco next Wednesday.

Officers have been chosen for the coming season of the Ellis Club. They are: Henry T. Lee, president; Fred A. Eaton, vice-president; Herbert D. Ward, secretary; Willis Parris, treasurer, and Charles G. Gibbons as librarian.

Dr. Poulin will continue as director, and Miss Mary L. O'Donoughue as accompanist.

The music committee consists of Charles J. Ellis, Henry P. Flint and George Steckel. The voice committee includes J. W. Hendrick, Frank Walker, J. H. Stephens and R. J. Viera.

Leo Kobelik will sail for America about November 1, and will give his first concert at the New York Hippodrome about November 10. Chicago engagements will follow immediately. As stated previously in The Times, Kobelik's tour will be under the supervision of Mortimer Lizard of this city.

David Edwin, a quite well-known character actor, is to be added to the Belasco company. He has played a very wide list of studies in the last few years, and is slated for some good work in the local organization. David Edwin is a direct descendant of Col. Edwin Dunham, a prominent old man of Los Angeles when the city was just emerging from pueblo days.

Viola Roberts has foregone her starring tour, it is said. This was to be under the direction of John Cort, and was to include an extended trip through the Southwest. She will devote all her energies to her new play, "The Struggle Everlasting," which is to be first produced in Providence, October 21.

Ethel Barrymore's new play is the work of Clyde Fitch and Cosmo Gordon Lennox. The title chosen is "The Ring," and the season will open in the south.

Both Ellery and Ferullo bands are now in Chicago. Mr. Ellery has practically the entire summer in the city, and has now moved to the Riverview Gardens for a final fortnight. Ferullo has returned to the scene of his first triumphs, Sans Souci. He has also good contracts for the entire winter, and does not intend to return to Los Angeles this season.

BITS OF VERSE.

Song.

I knew was but a little thing—
Strange love, which, more than all,
Is great—
Or might not such devotion bring,
Early to serve and late.

I knew were but a passing breath—
Vain love—which, as God knows, is
sweet—
Or might not make of life and death
A pillow for love's feet.

—Florence Earle Coates, in Harper's Bazar.

Apart.

Each year the springtime's
May riot
Fills both the same sweet wordless
Longing;
In both November woods, deserted,
Quiet,
Bring dear rememberings.

In both, from day to day, the ceaseless wonder
Of Nature's voices strong and kind;
In both, the snow, the sun, the roll
Of thunder,
The calling of the wind.

In both the signal-fires at sunset
Burning,
The beckoning night that soothes and
Stills,
In both, at last, the radiant returning
Of day across the hills.

In both the joy ineffable of giving,
A love that pours out strength and
Grace,
In both life purer, better, worth
The living,
Defying time and space.

And yet hear thy voice, my spirit
Fearless
With silent ecstasy the while,
I feel thee near, yet hold forever
Deathless
The memory of thy smile!

—Allen E. Allen, in September Atlantic.

Achievement.

I cannot see the veiled face of success,
By weary efforts in the shadow lurk;
Cannot guess reward beyond the
Distress—
But I can work!

I cannot find the life where I belong;
The heart with need of me, all else
Alone;
I cannot sing the burden of Love's
Song—
But I can love!

I cannot always hopeful be, and
Brave,
The long, hard struggle will not seem
Worth while!
I cannot quench the slow, hot tears I
Crave—
But I can smile!

—Edith Brownell, in Munsey's.

The Greatest Thing of All.

The greatest thing is yet to be done;
We have conquered distance, we sail
The air;
The greatest triumph must still be won,
The greatest glory is still to share.

We have risen high, we are full of
Pride,
The great achievement awaits us
Still;
We still to learn to be satisfied
With the things that we cannot
Fulfill.

—S. E. Kiser.

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FINDS HUSBAND DEAD.

Wife of T. H. Cortelyou Discovers His Lifeless Body in Woodshed at Their Home.

T. H. Cortelyou, No. 1425 West Eleventh street, was found dead in the wood shed of his home last night by his wife. Cortelyou was aged 72 years. He left home yesterday afternoon to visit a neighbor, and did not return. Search of the neighborhood was instituted and the police were notified but the man could not be found. He was known to have left the neighbor's house at 3 o'clock, but from that time there was no trace of him in spite of the diligent search. His wife went to the shed at a late hour and found his dead body.

The shock to Mrs. Cortelyou was severe. When found, the dead man was seated on the floor with his head propped on his arm. Dr. J. S. Turner was summoned and it was found that Cortelyou had been dead several hours. Death came from a sudden attack of heart disease, according to the physician.

Mr. Cortelyou was a relative of Postmaster-General Cortelyou. He was born in Staten Island, N. Y., and came to Los Angeles fifteen years ago. He had not been in robust health for several years. It was his habit to take long walks during the afternoon. When he did not return yesterday it was thought he had wandered away while in a state of mental aberration.

Besides the widow, Mr. Cortelyou leaves three children, Henry L. Cortelyou of Siseton, S. D.; Mrs. L. C. Brown of Denasack, Cal., and George A. Cortelyou of No. 1223 West Twenty-third street, Los Angeles.

National Irrigation Congress.

The Southern Pacific will sell round-trip tickets from points in Southern California to Sacramento and return on August 30, 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4; also on September 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, account National Irrigation Congress and California State Fair. Rate will be one and one-third first-class fare for round trip, being from Los Angeles $17.85, with final return limit September 16, 1907. Further information may be obtained at City Ticket Office, 600 S. Spring street, corner 6th, at Arcade Depot, Los Angeles, or from any agent.

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10c and 15c Tooth Brushes 5c.
Chiffon Ruffs at half.
Men's and Women's Linen Handkerchiefs at half. (Women's Handkerchief Dept.)

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Details of Which Will Appear in Tomorrow's Papers

$7.50 to $10 Silk Petticoats $5.00.
Women's $25 to $60 Suits at $19.75.
Women's Silk Underwear at half.
$2 to $5 Wash Waists at $1.35.
Men's Summer Underwear third off.
$10 to $15 Trimmed Hats at $3.00.
Women's Silk Hosiery third under value.
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HALF HOLIDAY TODAY STORE CLOSES AT 1 P. M.

Men's Wearables Underpriced

Values too good to be overlooked, this morning, by men who care to save without sacrifice of good taste or high quality:

Summer Weight Underwear—just what many men wear the year 'round here—ribbed and fancy balbriggan: worth 50c a garment: this morning 35c
Genuine Lisle Thread white or fancy stripe undergarments: regularly $1.00, this morning 75c
Athletic shirts and knee length drawers of fine mercerized material: regularly $1: this morning 75c
Men's Golf Shirts; broken lines of course, and mostly pink shades: regularly $1, $1.25 and $1.50; this morning 50c
Brand-new styles of Fall Silk Four-in-hands on display in an entrance window 50c

SATURDAY SALES
Repeated from Yesterday

GLOVES—16-button silk gloves in shades of brown: regularly $2, this morning $1.50 pair.
$1.75 values on sale this morning for $1.25 pair. Fitted, of course.

RIBBONS—Plain satin taffeta and stripe or plaid ribbons, 4 and 5 inches wide: regularly 25c and 35c, this morning 15c yard.

LACES—Valenciennes laces, edgings and insertions to match: values up to $2.50 a dozen, this morning 75c doz.

BOXED RUCHINGS—The six different all white sorts: reg. 35c now 25c.
The three different all white sorts: reg. 25c now 15c.

Short Lengths of Silk
50 Per Cent Less

Regular Saturday sale of short lengths of silk—the accumulations of the week, that go out for half price every Saturday morning.

Wanters of plain black or white silks for waists will find them here: there are plain silks in light shades for evening wear; darker colors for dresses, linings and similar purposes; and plenty of dainty fancy silks, in plaids, jacquard embroidered designs, chameleon hairline stripes, etc. Some pieces contain but a yard and a half; the longest are twelve yards in length—enough for a whole gown.

Choose at just half reg. marked prices.

Women's Neckwear Sale
25c and 50c Values 5c and 10c

When any lines of goods in this house dwindle down to "oddments," we put a price on them to hurry them out, regardless of their worth or cost. That's why, this morning, you may select from women's high grade neckwear at commonplace prices.

Embroidered and drawnwork turnovers, collars and stocks, shown in designs that are not only desirable in themselves, but counterparts of those you'll be paying full price for within the next six weeks. Values 25c to 50c; this morning 5c and 10c apiece.

Coulters

Boradent Tooth Paste

Is an antiseptic and germicide. It neutralizes the mouth acids that cause decay in teeth and prevents the formation of tartar.

Boradent whitens and cleanses the teeth, hardens the gums and keeps the mouth in a healthy condition. Ask your dentist.

At all druggists 25 cents
Troy Pharmacal Company

SHAKESPEARE BEACH—Last Chance

All lots left over on this sale will be raised from $50.00 to $200.00 each after September 20th. Now is the time and only time ot buy these beautiful beach lots at

$150.00 10 Per Cent Down and $5.00 Per Month

Remember also—All contracts and titles are issued direct from the TITLE GUARANTEE AND TRUST COMPANY.

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224-226 Mason Bldg.—Fourth St. and Broadway.

Things Eatable

that thrill the palate in a perfectly ecstatic way—produced by expert hands. Alligator Pears, Pineapples, Concord Grapes, Valencia Oranges, Golden Endive, Celery-root, Ehmann Ripe Olives, many more too numerous to mention here.

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133-135 S. Main Street
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China and Glassware, Lamps, Bric-a-Brac

Saturday's Special
Rich Cut Glass Water Tumblers
$1.75
Set of Six. Regular Value $3.00

A rich addition to the dining table at a small outlay of cost. With the continued arrival of fresh shipments of cut glass, we are able to offer to our friends for TODAY'S SPECIAL this exceptional value of Cut Glass Water Tumblers.

N. E. Corner 7th and Hill Sts
Store Closes 12:30 P. M.

Harrington 648 S. Spring Street
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FAMOUS FOR $10 SUITS

CUTLERY
EXCLUSIVELY
OTTO STEINER SUPPLY COMPANY
210 West Third Street
We sell cutlery of every description
Cutlery sharpening and repairing.

A COLD Brick
Come in and get a Brick of our Neapolitan Ice Cream on your way home—3 colors, 3 flavors—25c and 50c sizes.
WELLS CANDY CO., 447 S. Spring
Home P5147; Main 371

Something new every day in Suits, Coats, Skirts and Waists.
SWELLDOM
Cloak and Suit Shop
821 So. Broadway.

"Ready and Right"
The New Clothing on Sale at the
Silverwood Stores

Watch Kahn Grow
Kahn's

SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST.

THEY ARE OFF FOR THE FINISH, FINAL HEAT OF GREAT RACE.

Pasadena Lads Loom Up As Possible Top Liners. Colton Candidate Scores Heavily—A Vote of Thanks to Everybody from Grateful Contestants—Tonight Marks Close of Most Remarkable in History of Times' Contests.

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY, SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST.

1.	HITCHCOCK, BEN, Avenue 50, Highland Park	166,110
2.	WAGNER, EDNA, 1213 Maple Ave., City	154,970
3.	TOLLEY, STANLEY, 35 Ashland Ave., Ocean Park	149,317
4.	PALOMARES, CHONITA, Lordsburg	118,736
5.	VAN ZANDT, ELWYN, 246 El Molino Ave., Pasadena	110,231
6.	EELLS, MURIEL, Ventura	107,257
7.	FELKER, GEORGE, 229 S. Hudson St., Pasadena	100,510
8.	VINCENT, BLOSSOM, Covina	91,239
9.	WILSON, HELEN, Whittier	79,964
10.	FISH, ZEDA, 814 S. Figueroa St., City	71,609
11.	M'CLELLAN, OLA, P. O. Box 221, Anaheim	64,027
12.	ROBINSON, ELLEN, 1035 Vermont Ave., City	58,825
13.	BLOOM, JENNIE, 914 Boston St., City	52,039
14.	SWAIN, WALLIE, Soldiers' Home	52,034
15.	WARREN, RALPH, Alhambra	49,340
16.	GORDON, MABEL, 4117 Central Ave., City	47,854
17.	HAMILTON, PERCY, Colton	47,578
18.	CARTER, JUANITA, 503 N. Figueroa St., City	42,570
19.	FULLER, GERALDINE, 1048 Euclid Ave., City	40,741
20.	LeHARDY, ROSINE, 131 Prince St., City	38,516
21.	CHUNG, MARGARET, 2182 E. 7th St., City	36,152
22.	LLOYD, LAURA, 1535 W. 11th St., City	34,328
23.	WOLFF, FANNIE, 727 California St., City	34,127
24.	WADEY, IRENE, 337 W. 51st St., City	32,664
25.	EASTON, LAURA, Sawtelle	30,289
26.	MAR MOON GONG, 2217 S. Figueroa St., City	30,157
27.	STIVERS, VIRGINIA, 211 E. 24th St., City	29,341
28.	CHAPEL, ALICE, 1382 W. 38th St., City	29,045
29.	M'CONNELL, ELSIE, 4525 Central Ave., City	27,206
30.	M'CARTY, FANNIE, 1330 Millard Ave., City	26,518
31.	ROBERTS, MAY, 1037 W. 1st St., Santa Ana	24,328
32.	JOHNSON, MARY, 749 E. 42nd St., City	24,724
33.	LEONARD, FLORENCE, Redlands	24,236
34.	GREEN, CECIL, 1030 Byram St., City	22,779
35.	M'NITT, RALPH, 974 W. 32nd St., City	13,736
36.	MITCHELL, RETA, 354 W. Johnston St., City	13,273
37.	GRIESEMER, FRED, Gardena	11,836
38.	PESTOR, HAZEL, 741 Temple St., City	10,981
39.	GIBSON, RUTH, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 70, Escondido	10,382
40.	EASTMAN, GLADYS, 241 S. Hope St., City	9,601
41.	TEMPLE, EDNA, Globe, Arizona	7,911
42.	BENJAMIN, M. L., Hollywood	7,045
43.	SHAPIRO, LENA, 1717 E. 15th St., City	5,126

LAST CALL.

Coupons and subscriptions will be counted to the credit of contestants if dropped at the postoffice so as to bear postmark of Saturday, September 7, before 12 o'clock, midnight, and arrive at The Times office before 11 p.m., Monday, September 9. At small postoffices, mail matter may not be worked over after 6 p.m., so it is not safe to put off posting letters until a late hour Saturday. A special delivery stamp will hasten the delivery of letters.

Today marks the close of the most interesting and hotly contested of all campaigns in the history of Times scholarship contests. For eleven weeks a corps of more than forty of the brightest young people in Southern California have striven earnestly and energetically for the honors and rich rewards of the greatest educational race ever run. Never has the general public interest been more widespread and genuine. Hurried business men have paused in the rush of affairs to write out a subscription check to help along a boy or girl in the race for an education. Aged people and little children have patiently collected and clipped coupons, old and young, rich and poor, foreign and native born—all have been interested in these bright young people.

On their own behalf, the contestants, each and all, desire the scholarship manager to thank everybody—in general, in particular, collectively and individually. During the past few days when the mail has been delivered in huge baskets many times a day, overflowing with coupons, subscription slips and kind words of encouragement from the great, good public, the boys and girls have enjoyed a perpetual Christmas gift-giving, and if the grown people who have thus contributed to their success could hear the appreciative words on the receipt of the favors they would feel amply repaid for any effort it may have cost. Most everybody, therefore, who has contributed by so much as a single coupon to the joy and success of any contestant feel that the heartfelt thanks of each and every candidate is herewith extended.

This will be the busiest day of the whole campaign to the hustling workers and their labors will not end until well into the night. The city boys and girls are specially requested to turn in their final scores as early in the evening as possible. Try to get them in before 10 o'clock if possible. Headquarters on the fourth floor will be open throughout the evening, and a general rally of the contestants is expected. Come early, boys and girls—score in and avoid the crowd.

"THE DARK HORSE.

There may be some startling things on the home stretch. Already one or two dark horses are looming up on the scholarship horizon. The two Pasadena boys each rise a row this morning, George Felker making his entree into the 100,000 ranks. He came to the office yesterday and deposited over 15,000 points with as nochalant an air as though he were simply saying "Good morning, have you used Pear's soap?" "Fifteen thousand all at once," gasped the scholarship manager. "Doesn't this intrench on your reserve?" in a strained whisper, but the Pasadena lad merely tossed his head and replied, "Oh, no."

"Now, what is that reserve?" is the question that is agitating contestants. A boy who can score 15,000 points on the day before the end without turning a hair must have large figures in his mind's eye, and must contemplate making a sensation at the close. It would not be surprising if he achieved a regular pole vault by midnight and the other top liners will be holding their breath.

The Colton candidate, Percy Hamilton, jumped into the ring yesterday with almost as big a sensation as the Crown City representative. He brought in nearly 14,000 points and charged the atmosphere with this exciting news, jumping two rows. "Now, watch my smoke at the last," said this boy in the beginning of the race, and if Colton continues to smoke in this fashion Percy will be a fortunate winner.

A TEMPORARY SCORE.

The score as presented this morning is made up practically without reference to the thousands and thousands of uncounted coupons which are lying in boxes and bundles at headquarters, some of which have not even been opened. If, therefore, contestants see themselves deposed in the score this morning they must not be alarmed nor must their friends think that they have dropped down. It may simply mean that this same contestant has several thousand uncounted points which will be duly accredited to his or her final score.

Hurrah for "The Kid!"

Virginia Stivers has cause to wear her smile today, for friends of her parents and grandparents have rallied to her support with a hearty good will. Her grandmother, Mrs. Trowbridge, has been one of the most energetic workers of the entire campaign, and has tripped about as lightly from place to place on her daily rounds as Virginia herself. It has not been hard for her because she is one of the best athletes in the local Hundred Year Club. She is 73 years young and has been playfully dubbed "The Kid," on this account, as she is the oldest member in this coterie of people who intend to be well and strong for a hundred years if possible.

Edmund B. Warman, director of the club, sent in a substantial testimonial for Virginia yesterday, which he signed, "Vigorously yours." The note is as vigorous as the signature. "Dear Virginia," he wrote, "here's to you and Grandma, better known to our Hundred Year Club as 'the Kid.' Success to you. May you continue to climb, and thus sustain your reputation as a 'Virginia climber,' and 'the girl with the smile that never comes off.'"

Brig.-Gen. Charles D. Viele, U.S.A., retired, a friend of Virginia's grandfather, and a war-time comrade, has done a great deal for her in this contest. Yesterday he sent in 2500 points with the following cheering words on the back of his card: "My dear little miss, I had the pleasure of crediting you with 2500 points this morning, three renewals, and one original subscription. I enclose a few coupons. Trusting that you will prove a winner, I remain your friend, Charles D. Viele."

The army people have been good to Virginia. A pleasant coincidence came to light yesterday, as the following card from Mrs. George G. Mullins will relate. She says: "We knew your father and all his family at Fort Davis and Fort Snelling. Without knowing this I sent you some coupons a month ago which I hope you received."

GOOD WILL FOR WARREN.

Ralph Warren has the good will of the Alhambra people and has been making a steady race, keeping an even pace through all the difficulties of a contestant's path. His home paper, The Advocate, is eager for him to win and exhorts its fellow-townsmen toward this end in a flattering manner.

"Ralph Warren, one of our High School boys," declares The Advocate, "has entered the lists in a contest to secure a scholarship through 'The Times' Tournament' for subscribers. All our citizens who learn of Ralph's ambition to succeed in life will be pretty sure to lend their aid. The contest closes Sept. 7, and those who have coupons should send them in immediately."

Ralph is an all-round accomplished boy and his artistic ability is marked.

"BLUE AND WHITE."

"Please credit these coupons to Miss Fanny Wolff," writes a Los Angeles High School student. "I am a Los Angeles High School girl and want her to win. Hoping she will succeed for the sake of the 'Blue and White.' Fanny has been singing 'You can't beat L. A. High,' these latter days, for she has had staunch supporters from her school. One girl has been working for Fanny with marked success and turned in 3200 points by her efforts. Fanny's younger brother, who is also a student at the High School on the hill, has secured at least half of the points for his sister. Fanny McCarthy, a lovely brown-eyed girl, wishes to thank all the people who have helped her in the contest, especially the kind friends in San Gabriel and El Monte. Fanny took a horse and buggy and drove out through the leafy aisles of the San Gabriel Valley, thinking that fewer contestants would reach the out-of-the-way places. She met many kind friends and enjoyed the experience in the beautiful countryside.

HOLLYWOOD'S CANDIDATE.

A package of coupons arrived yesterday for young Benjamin, the Hollywood hustler. He really has hustled but is a newcomer in this part of the country, and has been much discouraged at the hard row he has had to weed, and his position at the wrong end of the list of scholarship racers. With the coupons was the following note, full of good advice:

"Enclosed find a package of coupons for M. L. Benjamin. Although he is a stranger to us, I am glad to help him some. I hope the people of Hollywood will give him a lift and land him at the top row for the credit of this beautiful city. I am sure he would appreciate any favor shown him." This shows that it is better late than never, and there is yet time to make things interesting for the Hollywood lad.

Wallie Swain was remembered yesterday by Uncle Sam Corps, W.R.C., and G.A.R., by Stanton Relief Corps, No. 16, and by a daughter of a soldier of the War of 1812. Another Long Beach supporter turned up for Irene Wadey. "I think she has a beautiful voice," said the coupon sender, "and I hope she will be able to give it careful and thorough training. Rosine Le Hardy was boosted by a friend from Nogales, Ariz. Arizona has been almost as much concerned in the scholarship contest as Southern California, and several times the doughty neighbor has taken a hand in things which will count in results.

A well wisher of Ralph McNitt's sends in coupons, and hopes that he may never weary in well-doing. Pretty Helen Wilson was helped from Whittier. Orange county is interested in Ola McClellan. "I hope she will win the scholarship and get the cash prize that she is working so hard to secure, for I am sure she deserves all that she gets," was one expression of good will.

A little girl 10 years of age noticed from the paper that Jennie Bloom was discouraged by being No. 13, and sent coupons and cheering words, written in round, childish hand.

An unknown friend who has a boy of her own had saved a goodly number of coupons. She did not know to whom she would send them, but reading about Ralph McNitt's long hours of work, she decided that he was the one who should receive them.

COLORED CANDIDATE BENEFITS.

Late last evening a telephone call announced that a representative of the Colored Men's Forum will today turn in such a score for Cecil Green as will send her hustling up the ladder in the final score. The results of the concerts given in her behalf by her own race will figure in this big boost.

ENDS SPREE WITH BULLET.

Goldfield Miner Commits Suicide After a Debauch Which Had Continued for Many Days.

Following a spree which lasted several days and which extended from Goldfield to Los Angeles, William Lundgren, also known as "Gabriel Anderson," committed suicide yesterday afternoon in an East Fifth street lodging-house.

Lundgren was well known in Goldfield. He is said to have had several valuable claims there. A month ago he decided to visit Los Angeles and sold out his claims and came south. He stayed here a few days and returned to Goldfield.

His experience on his first visit proved too much for him, and he again left the mining camps for California. His visit in Los Angeles, according to the reports of those who knew him, was made rosy by the expenditure of considerable sums of money.

His funds became short and yesterday he retired to his room in a lodging-house at No. 702 East Fifth street and refused to allow any one admittance. During the day the landlady of the place, fearing Lundgren might have been become ill, attempted to attract his attention but he paid no attention to her.

Shortly after 2 o'clock, Mrs. Dunn, the landlady, heard a shot from the direction of Lundgren's room. With the assistance of other boarders she broke in the door. The miner was found, lying across the bed. A bullet hole in his right temple and a smoking revolver, still clutched tightly in his hand, told what had happened.

He died on the way to the Receiving Hospital. An inquest will be held at Bresee Bros. today.

CLASSES ORGANIZE.

High School Students Elect Officers and Editors—Good Roads Association—News Notes.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, Sept. 6.—With the second week of school well under way, the different classes have organized and elected officers and representatives on the board of control. The choicest offices have been handed out to the most prominent members of the school and the different plans of each organization are beginning to be formulated.

The seniors, bearing the responsibility of organization for their last year of school effort and the publication of the High School Annual, have started, with the following officers: Lawrence Johnson, president; Harry Gabbert, vice-president; Walter Dimmick, secretary and treasurer; Jay Argabrite on the board of control. On the "Cardinal and Gold," the high school annual for the year, published at commencement by the seniors, Harry Gabbert was elected editor, and Jay Argabrite and Lawrence Johnson were elected managers. Other appointments on the two staffs will be made later.

The juniors have elected the following officers for the term: Fargo Ross, president; Daisy Johnson, secretary and treasurer; Claude Bright, board of control.

The sophomores have come forth with an important list of officers-to-be, as follows: Haley Evans, president; Henry Olds, vice-president; Edna Shillington, treasurer; Anita Gordon, secretary; Ernest Thompson, member on the board of control.

OXNARD NOTES.

A good roads association has been formed in Oxnard, with John Steinmiller, president, and J. R. Gabbert, secretary. This association has elected the following delegates to a general county-road convention to be held at Ventura tomorrow: J. A. Driffill, J. A. Donlon, E. R. Hill, B. S. Virden, S. B. Bagnall and C. J. Elliott. The following delegates were also elected from the sixth road district: T. A. Rice, P. S. Carr, M. H. Gabbert, R. B. Edmondston, H. K. Snow and M. McLoughlin.

The bean harvest of the valley has been entered upon and grows in intensity each day. As far as we know, there are three machines in the Moorpark district threshing small beans. They are the outfits of Sudden, Seckinger and the Nauman Bros. They are doing good work and the weather has made it possible for fast threshing. The machines have not yet begun on the lima crop, but the cutting of beans is progressing, and within the next two weeks there will be a half-dozen or so working.

At the meeting of the City Board Tuesday the ordinance regulating the holding of certain kinds of sales and imposing a tax of $15 a day on houses conducting such sales without having a year's standing in the town, was passed and with its publication in the Courier will become a law of the town.

FOR COLONY HOMES.

One Hundred Scandinavian Families Will Locate in Yucaipe Valley. Water Is Plentiful.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

REDLANDS, Sept. 6.—A committee of representative Scandinavians from Minnesota visited Yucaipe Valley this week, for the purpose of investigating a scheme for colonization there. Prof. L. A. Sahlstrohm of Minneapolis, Gustavus Anderson, G. Echdal and Rev. A. Gustafson of Los Angeles comprise the committee. A suitable location for a colony of 100 or more Swedish families is being sought, and it is believed that Yucaipe offers the advantages most desired and will be selected by those having the matter in charge.

Dr. D. W. Crandall, the water expert, has reported that underneath the lands of the upper end of Yucaipe Valley are great streams of water, and that wells can easily be bored which will produce ample water for irrigation and other purposes. The first well in that part of the valley will be sunk next week.

REDLANDS NOTES.

The record pears for the season in this vicinity were brought to the Redlands Board of Trade rooms yesterday by A. E. Cole, from his orchard in the eastern part of the city. Two of them, Bartletts, weighed 2 lbs. 7 oz. Mr. Cole has forty tons of pears yet unharvested, and expects to pick the last in October.

Next Monday, Admission Day, will be generally observed in Redlands as a holiday, although no programme has been arranged. Nearly all the merchants have agreed to close their places of business all day, and the public library, banks and city offices will observe the customary holiday hours.

After differences covering a period of more than a year, a satisfactory working arrangement has been made between C. H. Wagner, principal owner, and H. C. Wyatt, lessee of the Redlands Operahouse, and Redlands theater goers are now assured of attractions for the winter season. It was feared that the operahouse might remain dark throughout the season. The house will probably be opened September 20.

The Brooklyn League excursion of sixty-five members arrived in Redlands late yesterday afternoon. Every member of the party took the drive through the parks and over Smiley Heights. John B. Creighton, secretary of the league, stated before leaving, that Redlands was the most beautiful place which had been visited by the party.

CORONA.

CORONA, Sept. 6.—The City Trustees have fixed the tax rate at 95 cents on the $100.

M. Morgan, Jacob Stoner, A. J. Whitmore, Frank Thompson, I. H. Moore, L. A. Fink, W. C. Barth and F. M. Baird, local orchardists, visited Redlands, Riverside and Arlington yesterday to get ideas regarding handling and packing of fruit.

It is reported F. A. Perkins, H. K. Stahl, F. M. Baird of Corona, with L. B. Falley of Fullerton, have sold a half interest in seven gold claims in Yucaipe for $100,000, the purchasers being Boston men.

V. A. McCreery of Los Angeles, is the new editor of the Corona Independent to succeed H. C. Cree, resigned.

Mrs. M. D. Reid and sons of Palms, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gillet.

There's a Fortune in It.

Irrigated lands in Snake River Valley of Southern Idaho produce the largest and best crops. The warm south slope on the North Side tract is ideal for orchards. 150,000 acres will be open to entry October 1, 1907. Write today for particulars.

TWIN FALLS NORTH SIDE LAND AND WATER COMPANY, Milner, Idaho.

6 1-2 Cents Per Day Buys an Acre

of Mugusy Fiber plantation, on monthly payments, in beautiful Sinaloa, Mexico; permanent income guaranteed. Call or write PACIFIC COAST FIBER CO., 514-517 L. W. Heilman Bldg., Fourth and Main Sts.

Women's Wear Less Than 1/2 Price

An End of the Season Sale on High Class Garments That Surpasses in Money Saving Any Similar Effort in the History of This Old Established Store

Suits, Waists, Skirts, Kimonos, Etc., Cheaper than Ever

OLDEST SUIT HOUSE IN THE CITY, EST. 1883

Mosgroves

SALM BEHREND, PROPRIETOR

Be on Hand Early and Get a Generous Share of the Good Things offered at This Store.

119 So. Spring Street

Just Below First Street

Doors Open 9 a. m. Today—Saturday

This sale marks the close of the most successful season in this state's history. Mr. Behrend has just returned from Eastern markets, where he has made enormous purchases for the coming season. To make room for this large on-coming stock every garment in the store has been marked at half and a great deal less on many items to move them quickly.

The Mosgrove store never disappoints. It's many years of faithful service to the women of Southern California is an evidence of its good faith, and it will pay you well to look over what we offer in this End-of-the-Season Clean-up Sale.

50c Waists; embroidered front; three-quarter sleeves; splendidly made. Exceptional materials, at 25c

$1.00 Waists, in mercerized novelty cloth; popular Peter Pan styles. A great big bargain at 50c

$2.50 Two-piece Suits, wash materials, in white and dark colors. Sale price is less than goods alone cost 98c

$12.50 Handsome silk Shirt Waists Suits in beautiful neat stripes and pretty effects. Well made. A bargain at $5

$25.00 Suits. All wool Panamas and worsteds. Navy blue, black and mixed colors; splendidly tailored and the greatest silk values ever made $10.00

$5.00 Genuine Crash Linen Shirt Waist Suits; not many to offer you, but while they last the price is 98c

$15.00 to $18.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits, in fancy and plain colors. These are swell suits. Less than half price $7.50

$12.50 Pongee Coats—latest modes, beautifully made worth this sale price to wear simply to protect your clothes, as a scuff coat—stylish, too $5.98

Just a Hint of the Hundred or More Big Values Offered—Not an Item reserved in This Whole Stock of Well Known Garments

$1.25 White Walking Skirts—famous Indian Head material—only one skirt to each customer at 39c

$2 Waists. Beautifully embroidered—very fine lawn material—some are slightly soiled—but the sale price makes up for that—only 75c

$2 Covert Skirts in mixed blues, grey, black, well tailored, full fashioned and perfect fitting, only 98c

$1.00 Dressing Sacques—fancy trimmings, dark colors, serviceable and unusual value at price 50c

$10.00 Linen Suits—late season's styles, in white, light blue and pink—Beautifully fitting and splendidly made and trimmed $5.00

$5.00 Silk Shirt Waists, of finest China and Taffetas. Beautifully embroidered, lace trimmed and well made, only $1.98

$10 White Serge Coats—These are popular garments and these coats are splendidly tailored and trimmed $3.98

$7.50 Linen Suits—The material alone is worth more than twice the sale price—some are slightly soiled and so they are all priced at $1.98

$1.50 Duck Skirts—Popular black and navy blue, full fashioned, well made, cheap at regular price, now on sale for half, at 75c

$3 Genuine Butchers' Linen Skirts—these are exceptional garments at our special sale price 98c

$5.00 All Wool Skirts. Plaited and gored in black and grey mixtures—very fine material—the best $5 skirt value in town, now only $2.50

$3.98 Silk Jumpers. Black and plain colors; beautifully tailored; are now on sale for only $1.98

$5.00, 30-inch Tourist Coats. All wool mixtures. Handsome garments and splendid bargains at $2.98

Many of these items are limited to one of each to each customer, because of the exceptional low prices quoted, as we wish as many of our customers to get the benefit as possible.

Sale Opens Today 9 a. m.

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What a happy world it would be if repentance always followed sin instantly. Suppose that wrong-doing invariably produced fatigue, or overeating nausea. It always does when the heart has been made right by the love of God in Christ. Without that wonderful alteration in the soul the effect of sin is strangely different. It may produce shame and guilt and fear, but always and everywhere it only makes us weaker and wickeder. Take the sin of "speaking against Jehovah." The first oath terrifies the little boy. He trembles. He is afraid that the trees heard it, and will whisper it to his father; that the stars heard it, and will tell it to God. But nothing terrible happened, and he tries it again. This time he experiences a wild pleasure in his courage. After a while he can swear every time he wants to without fear, and soon must swear, whether he wants to or not. With every oath he grows coarser and more insensible. By and by he glorifies in his shame. Don't hope that sin will cure itself.—[Goss.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That obstacles often increase near our blessings.

(2.) That it is right to make but not break good vows.

(3.) That help from God cures hurt from man.

(4.) That discouragement means defeat.

(5.) That rebellion against God is stupid and suicidal.

(6.) That a murmuring disposition is the most fiery serpent.

(7.) That true repentance involves sorrow for being a sinner as well as for doing the sin.

(8.) That God alone can cure sin.

Christian Endeavor.

MAN'S GREATEST THOUGHT.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies, Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People's Union, Epworth League, etc., for September 8: "God's Omnipresence."—[Ps. 139, 1-12.

By William T. Ellis.

The greatest thought that is ever encompassed by mortal mind is the thought of God. That man should be able to think intelligently concerning the character and offices of the infinite, eternal, omniscient, omnipotent and omnipresent Jehovah is itself an evidence of the divine in the human.

Man can think so grandly; but he does think so meanly. "Banderiog! Banderiog!" scornfully cried the cynical student of Kipling, as he listened a few days ago to the chatter of a hotel piazza full of people. Indeed, the emptiness, inconsequence and incessance of the talk did make one think of the foolish monkey folk of the jungle. Whoever listens to the casual conversation of people on the street, in the trains, or wherever human folk congregate is bound to entertain depressing thoughts concerning the level of the average mentality. Pointless commonplaces, cheap and long-drawn-out traversing of threadbare themes, dull and stereotyped phrases, petty formalities and a general lack of loftiness and fineness, fill one with pity for such intellectual poverty or slovenliness. When man can soar so high, it is sad to see him grovel so low. The mind that was made to reach out after the Infinite should be ashamed to content itself with the small and base.

Apart altogether from considerations of his attitude toward religion, everybody should, out of respect for his own higher nature, give consideration to the vast theme and mystery of the Divine Creator and Ruler of the universe. That some persons do not think about God is not a fact about God, but about those persons.

If God be the God whom the great mass of humanity has by common consent declared Him to be, then He is too great to have any bounds set to His character or power. Grant Him omnipotence and we must also grant Him omnipresence. If He, being such as He is, is anywhere, He must be everywhere.

Because God is everywhere—a token of His sovereignty—He is very near to each one of us—a token of His fatherhood.

An obedient child delights in the presence of his parent; a disobedient child dreads it. What we think of the omnipresence of God is largely determined by what our moral attitude toward him has been.

Law is coincident with civilization. It is a mighty, sleepless and invisible fact. Law is as present as the atmosphere. But most persons give no thought to it, for they are unconsciously obedient to it. The lawbreaker is the one who is aware of the law. So those persons whose relationship to God is normal and right find no terror in the truth of His omnipresence. It is the sinner who cowers and shrinks in the presence of that all-seeing Eye, that inescapable Presence.

Can there be any bond between two separated friends so close, so real and so powerful as the everywhere present divine Spirit to whom both are united? A common relationship with God argues direct connection with each other. The Christian may say, "My friend is beyond my sight and reach; but he is close to God, who is close to me, so I may touch him thus." The omnipresence of the Infinite is a powerful argument for the efficiency of prayer.

This material world would be a better world if it were more conscious of the vital verities of the unseen world.

The child sleeps serenely in the consciousness of the parent's nearness. That is the best of comfort. Children larger grown find in their loneliness, fear, weariness and sorrow, that there is sweet solace in the consciousness that the Heavenly Father is near. He knows all; He understands perfectly; He helps effectively. Strength and succor for every downeast heart may be found in the truth of the omnipresence of God.

The quickest way to "kill" a poor picture on the wall is to hang alongside of it a beautiful picture. One fine article of furniture in a room brings out all the tawdriness and cheapness of the rest. One great life in a community, quietly, modestly, consistently standing for the best ideals is an uplifting force. So there is inspiration in the belief that "Thou, God, seest me"—that the Lord is ever near, to be grieved by the evil and to assist in the good; a silent, ever-present summons to the highest possibilities in character and service. The greatest force for good everywhere present in the world is simply—God.

NEWS AND NOTES.

The bishop of London will visit Canada and the United States this month, his primary mission being to bear the Bible which King Edward is sending to the Protestant Episcopal Church at Williamsburg, Va., the second oldest church in America.

The German government has conferred the office of Privy Councilor, and the title of "Excellency," upon Dr. Bernard Weiss, the author of a life of Christ, upon the occasion of his recent golden jubilee as a professor in Berlin University.

A national purity conference, to consider all phases of the social evil, will be held in Battle Creek, Mich., October 31-November 6.

Three miles of moving-picture films were secured on the mission field by C. V. Vickrey and S. Earl Taylor, on their recent round-the-world tour. These will be used, together with a large collection of stereoscopic pictures, in the educational work of the Young People's Missionary Movement.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will hold its annual convention in Washington, September 25-29. This shortly precedes the triennial meeting of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in Richmond, Va., October 3.

Representatives of the Anglican church in China have sent an appeal to the church in Canada asking it to establish a mission in one of the provinces where as yet no work is being done by either the English or American church.

Bishop Williams, of the Protestant Episcopal Mission of Japan, has been in service longer than any other missionary in Japan, having gone out in 1859. He has lately dedicated a new church in Kioto.

Dowie's famous lace works, at Zion City, have been sold to a Chicago department store. This marks the practical end of Dowieism. Voliva was given no voice in the sale, and he declares that he will start a rival Zion.

The Pope has appointed Cardinal Satolli as protector of the Christian Press Association. American Roman Catholic bishops and clergymen to the number of 1400 constitute the organization, which has already published 400 works on religion.

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Made of fine grade china silk, in several soft shades, 2¼ yds. long, hemstitched, good value at $2.50 half price Saturday $1.25.

75c Table Damask 59c

Bleached mercerized table damask, 66 inches wide, very pretty designs, regular 75c quality at 59c.

$3.48 Lawn Waists $1.48

White lawn and lingerie waists, handsome styles, trimmed with fine lace and embroidery; high grade, $2.48, $3.00 and $3.48 waists priced Saturday a.m. at $1.48.

$1.25 Children's Dresses 69c

Children's and misses' dresses, sizes 4 to 14 years, made of gingham and percale; regular $1.25 value on sale at 69c.

10c White Swiss 3½c

Fancy white satin stripe curtain swiss, 40 inches wide, for cottage or bungalow windows, sash curtains, etc.; 10c quality, 8 to 10, 3½c yard.

20c India Linon 12½c

White India linon, sheer smooth finish, suitable for kimonos, waists and evening robes; 20c value 12½c; limit 10 yards.

75c Corset Cover and Drawers. 39c

Fine material, some elaborately trimmed with lace, others with embroidery; several styles of each; 75c values at 39c.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Flower Street, between Seventh and Eighth.

REV. J. Q. A. HENRY, D. D.

Begins his pastorate with this church. PROF. F. B. STOUTT will sing. SPECIAL MUSIC BY CHORUS CHOIR. Morning service, 11 o'clock, topic, "Jesus at the Door." Evening service, 7:45, topic, "Man, the Glory and Scandal of the Universe." Tourists strangers welcome. Young men especially urged to attend the evening service.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Hope and 11th Streets

REV. A. C. SMITHER

Will begin eighteenth year of his pastorate with this church, with appropriate sermon at 11 a.m. At 7:30 p.m. he will give a stereopticon lecture on "Up the Nile," the first of a series on his recent trip to the Orient. All invited.

FIRST NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH OF LOS ANGELES

139 WEST FIFTH STREET

Is a fellowship for evangelical preaching and teaching and pentecostal life and service. Preaching services tomorrow 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sermons by PASTOR JOSEPH SMALE. Week-day meetings Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 7:30 p.m. Special Bible and Missionary studies Friday evenings. Daily noon prayer meetings.

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Figueroa and 20th streets, REV. FRANK DE WITT TALMAGE, D.D., Pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subjects, morning, "The Opening Year's Salutations." Evening, "How We Rescued the Survivors" of the Columbia Wreck.

MAGNOLIA AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

West 25th st. and Magnolia ave., Jesse F. McKnight, Pastor. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. The assistant pastor will preach at the church services. 11 a.m., "Prayer." 7:40 p.m., "Jesus' Conception of Friendship." Good music. A welcome to all.

NAOMI AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

One block east of Central ave., on 21st st. WILLIS R. MYERS, PASTOR. DR. S. M. MARTIN will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Care and Carelessness." In the afternoon at 3 o'clock he will deliver an address to women only. Subject, "Womanhood and Home." In the evening at 7:45 p.m. Dr. Martin will speak on "Christian Bicycling." Good music. Free seats. You are cordially invited.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH

925 South Flower street,

DR. BURT ESTES HOWARD MINISTER

Sunday service, 11 a.m. Subject of sermon: "Faith in Man." Sunday-school 9:45 a.m. Bible class led by Mrs. H. A. Boynton. Fine music. Strangers welcome.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH SOUTH

N.W. Corner Ninth and Grand ave.

Rev. J. J. Pritchett, Pastor.

Services at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. A cordial welcome to all.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, Victoria Hall, 125½ South Spring. Sundays, 3 p.m.; Wednesdays 2:30 p.m. Rev. D. Eldridge, Superintendent Southwestern division, in charge. All denominations welcome.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Auditorium Bldg., 5th and Olive sts.

ROBERT J. BURDETTE PASTOR

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THE CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH

(Congregational.)

Washington st. and Van Ness ave., Arlington Heights.

Stanley Ross Fisher, Minister.

Sunday-school 10 a.m. Morning worship 11 a.m. Musical service and short address 7:45 p.m.

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514 W. Adams Street (Near Figueroa.)

REV. LEWIS G. MORRIS, RECTOR.

ONE-HOUR SERVICES.

Services at 7:30 a.m., 11 a.m. This is a free church, all are cordially invited. Take Grand Avenue or Redondo cars to Adams Street, or yellow University cars to Chester Place and walk south to Adams street.

WESTLAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Ninth and Grand View sts. Rev. W. D. Landis, Pastor. Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Pastor. Good music. Seats free. Strangers welcome.

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Southern Pacific

BEAR BANNER TO WIND.

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team made up of San Bernardino Native Sons and one from Los Angeles. Three years ago San Bernardino won the cup, and since that time the local men have been striving to organize a team capable of competing with the San Bernardino men, and they believe that they have at last succeeded.

BALL GAME A FEATURE.

Another of the features of the celebration will be a baseball game between Los Angeles and San Bernardino. As the local men have five parlors to draw on in making up their team they believe that they are at least assured of victory on the diamond.

Other sports will occupy the afternoon until supper time. After supper the Native Sons and Daughters will prepare for the grand ball which will bring the festivities to a close. The ball promises to be the gala occasion of the entire celebration and the committeemen are spending much time in perfecting the arrangements.

Tuesday morning the special train will start for home and the greatest Admission Day celebration in the history of Southern California will be a thing of the past.

The San Bernardino celebration marks the first effort on behalf of the Native Sons to hold a celebration on a large scale in the southern part of the State. Heretofore it has been the practice to send a large delegation to the annual State celebration, but the local observance of Admission Day has been of little importance.

From now on the members of the order hope to make the Southern California celebration an annual event. It is not improbable that next year the State celebration may be held here, as local members of the order are exerting themselves to bring this about.

The Los Angeles City Council has accepted the invitation of the Native Sons to take part in the festivities at San Bernardino, and its members will be passengers on the special train.

The preparations for the celebration are being made by a committee of seventy members. J. Rush Bronson is chairman of it, and is also chairman of the Programme Committee.

"DRESSED UP."

San Bernardino is in holiday attire. Flags and bunting greet the eye on every turn, and at all the street intersections in the business district streamers of colored incandescent lamps radiate from great clusters of rosettes composed of golden globes. The radiating streamers are composed of red, white and blue incandescents, which by night will transform the business district into a scene of beauty.

VENICE CELEBRATION.

The Venice Chamber of Commerce has made arrangements for a celebration at that resort. Gov. J. C. Cutler of Utah will be present as the guest of the city, and a banquet will be given in the evening aboard the Cabrillo.

During the afternoon Gov. Cutler will deliver an address on the work of the irrigation congress.

The Vaquero Club has been invited to take part in the festivities as the guest of the Chamber of Commerce. Garbed in the picturesque costumes of early California, the members of the club will give exhibitions of horsemanship for the edification of the visitors and will materially aid in preserving the true spirit of the day.

CHOOSE most becoming tint: flesh, white, pink, or brunette. Satin vela powder. 25c.

JOIN personally-conducted party to Yosemite and Big Trees. 470 S. Spring.

Los Angeles County—Its Cities and Towns.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

FISHER OF MEN.

DEATH COMES ON A HOLIDAY.

SORROW GENERAL AT PASSING OF W. A. HEISS.

Former Councilman Was One of the Pioneers of Pasadena—Funeral Arrangements Not Completed—Mayor Earley Proposes Plan to Avoid Bond Issue for Storm Drains.

PASADENA, Sept. 7.—Sadness spread throughout the city tonight as it became known that former Councilman William A. Heiss had dropped dead while fishing at Hermosa Beach yesterday. His death occurred under peculiarly pathetic circumstances. In the morning his wife and daughter left him happy and vigorous and ran up to Pasadena, while the husband and father started gaily for a day's fishing, expecting their return to enjoy the remainder of his holiday.

He had been out on the pier some time fishing. Suddenly he toppled over and when assistance reached him he was found to be dead. Accounts of the affair are very meager here. When the news was received bare mention of the facts in the case was conveyed to the stricken family. William N. Van Nuys of Reynolds and Van Nuys undertaking establishment, immediately started for the scene of the tragedy to take charge of the body, and was accompanied by one of the dead man's brothers. Definite particulars will not be received here until they return tomorrow. Arrangements for the funeral are necessarily incomplete.

William A. Heiss, together with his brothers, Frank L. and Alvin G., have been prominent in the life of Pasadena for the past twenty-one years. They kept a clothing store on the site of the Slavin Block for many years until the present structure was erected and the bank took their old quarters. The firm then moved to its present location at No. 37 West Colorado street.

Will Heiss, as he was familiarly known, served as a Councilman for many years. He resigned during the Waterhouse administration to take more active care of his business. He was a leading spirit in the promotion of such city projects as the sewer farm and other ventures that have resulted in the civic good.

At the time of his death, William A. Heiss was 52 years old. He leaves a widow and two children, Miss Olive, 17 years old, and William W., 12. He was born in Indiana, and was practically one of the pioneers of this thriving city, having seen it grow from less than 5000 people to more than 30,000. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

DRUG STORE RAIDED.

After several weeks' work, Detective Wallace H. Copping closed in on the Pasadena Prescription Pharmacy, No. 21 East Colorado street, and he claims that he has enough evidence to establish the existence of a "blind pig" on the premises. He seized a large amount of intoxicating fluids, and through his assistant, brought from Los Angeles, got some of the liquor as evidence, which was openly purchased. The place is run by G. D. Johnson, who was brought before Judge Robert W. McDonald last night, and bonds in the sum of $200 were given for his appearance. Watch has been kept upon this drug store for several weeks past, but it was only last night that the detective succeeded in getting the necessary evidence.

TO AVOID BOND ISSUE.

Bonds to build the storm drainage conduits may be avoided, if a plan proposed today by Mayor Earley is adopted by the Council. City Engineer Van Ornum has reported that it will require $280,000 to properly protect the city from storm water, and he has also reported that these conduits must be arranged to drain several areas separately. The Mayor's suggestion is that the matter be treated under the Vrooman act, rather than by a cumbersome bond issue. At first sight the direct and immediate taxation of $280,000 against the city property looks large, but when it is distributed over the property benefited the individual amounts dwindle in proportion.

Under the drainage plan the city is divided into three districts, the northeast, northwest and downtown sections. In the northeast section there are 2749.6 acres directly served by the storm-water conduits, and the cost apportioned to this district is $100,000. In the northwestern district there are 2727.3 acres and a cost of $50,000. The downtown district includes 1518.3 and the cost of drainage is put at $130,000, so that when the cost should be apportioned to the city lots the cost will be insignificant and the payment will be made at once. As this sewerage is a permanent improvement it is thought that it would be more economical to finish the whole matter up at one stroke than to have it drag along for years.

Forty-year bonds at 4 per cent. would mean an eventual expenditure of $728,000 on an issue of $240,000. Operations under the Vrooman act would also save much to the city in the way of advertising and the expenses of a special election, although this latter feature is not so important as an election will have to be called for the school bonds and other improvements, but it would nevertheless materially reduce the bonded debt of the city now in prospect.

This proposition was laid before the special committee on storm drainage and received hearty sanction. It will be reported to the City Council at its meeting next Tuesday and if approved the Council can go ahead with the advertisements under the Vrooman act and work be begun on this important project without the delay of a bond election. During the interim City Attorney J. Perry Wood will examine into the legal side of the matter and report his findings at the same meeting. Little difficulty is expected in securing rights of way, as the obvious benefit to every city lot presumes that property holders will dedicate the ground without protest or exorbitant charge.

CONSIDER LIGHTING.

Last night the City Council, superintendent of the municipal lighting plant, C. C. Glass, Expert Ezra F. Scattergood and the City Attorney held a private session in the rooms of the city lighting department to consider the conflicting reports of the two engineers. Mayor Earley is desirous that no public controversy should be held over the relative merits of the Glass and Scattergood estimates until the Council has had a chance to consider and digest the two plans. Last night the two engineers were brought together and explained their ideas. The Councilmen then adjourned for a private consideration of the reports.

It is more than probable that a third engineer will be called in to check up the two reports and to evolve a plan for the enlargement of the city lighting plant at the lowest possible cost consistent with good service. The Scattergood report calls for an expenditure of $240,000 and Glass says $195,000 is enough. The two reports not only differ as to figures, but as to plan and the necessary amount of plant.

PASADENA NEWS NOTES.

William Winders of South Pasadena, a conductor on the Pacific Electric lines, resents the charge brought by Mrs. Ellen S. Bemis, of No. 241 South Mentor, that he stole prunes or was full of them or liked them over much. Mrs. Bemis has recently lost some ripe prunes from her place, and yesterday she charged Winders, before Judge McDonald, with stealing $15 worth of her fruit. All the witnesses she produced gave evidence favorable to Winders, and the case was dismissed. Now Winders proposes a damage suit. It seems that auto parties, teamsters and pedestrians cannot resist the sight of the luscious sweets, and Mrs. Bemis has lost her prunes even if Winders has regained his reputation.

Impressive was the funeral service of Mrs. Lucy Lincoln Tower, who died last Wednesday at the age of 93. The obsequies took place at the First Congregational Church, with the choir in attendance. Rev. D. D. Hill, pastor of the Garvanza Congregational Church, pronounced the eulogium on a woman who was known throughout the city for her gentleness and charity. He was formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church here and knew Mrs. Tower intimately for many years. Mrs. Tower was a cousin of Charlemagne Tower, former Ambassador to Berlin and St. Petersburg.

Rev. E. C. Goff, recently from Riverside, will occupy the pulpit of the First Congregational church next Sunday. It had been expected that Prof. Arthur Smith of Pomona, would preach next Sunday in this church, but he was prevented from keeping the engagement and Mr. Goff will take his place.

Dr. W. E. Hibbard last night reported the theft of his horse and buggy. Later in the night the police found the animal and rig hitched at the corner of Walnut and Wooster street. It is thought that some reckless boys wanted to take a ride and used the Doctor's buggy.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.
Photo supplies, Morris-Thurston Co.
Artist materials at Wadsworth.
Dr. Up de Graff, returned. Eye, ear, nose and throat. Dodworth Block.

RODENTS.

KILL ALL RATS, IS THE ORDER.

INSTRUCTIONS FROM WASHINGTON TO PREVENT PLAGUE.

Dr. Weldon of Marine Hospital Corps, Taking Special Precautions to Keep Dread Bubonic Disease from Entering This Port—Commends Call for Federal Aid.

SAN PEDRO, Sept. 6.—Dr. William A. Weldon, local officer for the United States Marine Hospital Corps, commenting today on the call made by Mayor Taylor of San Francisco for Federal aid in the effort now being made to check the spread of the bubonic plague on this Coast, and who has made an especial study of the situation as it has developed in San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley, said:

"In my opinion Mayor Taylor has adapted the best possible course in calling for Federal aid for the reasons that the United States Marine Hospital Corps is thoroughly equipped in every department to meet the issue which now menaces San Francisco and this Coast. Its corps of specially trained bacteriologists is equipped with every known and modern appliance for fighting against the inroads of the bubonic plague, or of any other contagious disease.

"San Francisco, in consequence of the unsanitary conditions resulting from the recent earthquake, which left as a legacy miles of broken sewers, and a general chaotic condition of sanitation, is particularly susceptible to plague infection, which must of necessity, be beyond the control of the city authorities.

"The routine, State and municipal, which must be followed before effective measures can be adopted, is a handicap which the Federal authorities will not have to face, and is the one fact which undoubtedly influenced Mayor Taylor in following the course indicated in his call for aid. The plague will now be checked and no spread of the dreadsome disease need be apprehended.

"So far as San Pedro is concerned there is absolutely no danger that the plague will reach this port. Every vessel which enters this harbor is thoroughly inspected, and where necessity calls for it, will be scientifically fumigated. This morning orders were received from Washington that rat extermination must be followed to its conclusion, both on shore and on every incoming vessel.

"The steamer Hanalei, of the Independent line, arriving this morning from San Francisco, was inspected and rat guards ordered placed on every hawser which comes in contact with the wharf at which she is unloading. By night, every vessel in the harbor should be equipped in like manner, as orders to that effect have been issued from the department at Washington, which is in constant touch with the local situation."

"The department desires," continued Dr. Weldon, "the hearty coöperation of every citizen in this city, in the work of maintaining the present sanitary conditions of San Pedro. In this regard, the extermination of rats is especially requested. Every rodent destroyed lessens the liability of infection, and a crusade of rat killing is earnestly urged. 'Kill the rats, and get busy at once,' is the request made by the authorities in Washington.

"Local conditions, so far as sewers, cesspools and general sanitation are concerned, are as nearly perfect as may be, but no precaution should be overlooked. Sewer connections, where not completed, should be made at once as an ounce of prevention is worth a ton of cure. San Pedro is in a position under existing conditions to present a clean bill of health, no matter what may happen anywhere else on the Pacific Coast. If the present sanitary condition is maintained, and where opportunity offers, bettered, no danger need by apprehended. But, get busy, kill off the house rat, wharf rat and every other member of the rat family.

"Let us see who will make the best record as a rat exterminator," concluded the health officer.

LEG IS BROKEN.

John Conway of Long Beach, a longshoreman employed in discharging lumber from the steamer Temple E. Dorr at the Salt Lake wharf was struck by a sling load of lumber this afternoon, and had both bones of the left leg below the knee, broken.

Buy Sample Shoes.
Ladies—Visit my sample shoe shop, on the fifth floor of the Merchants' Trust Bldg., No. 207 South Broadway. I sell the finest shoes made, in the latest styles and in all sizes, for $2 a pair. Harry Jagill, the Sample Shoe Man.

DRY ROT.

DELINQUENTS THE PROBLEM.

EXCLUSIVE COSMOPOLITAN CLUB HAS TROUBLES.

Too Much Prosperity Given as a Cause for Decay of Social Organization—Proposal for High School Military Company — Fisherman's Luck Was Exceedingly Bad.

LONG BEACH, Sept. 6.—The Cosmopolitan Club, the one exclusive men's organization in Long Beach, with elegantly fitted quarters on Pine avenue and 140 members, is suffering with a case of dry rot and thirty members wrestled until after last midnight with the problems confronting them. For unknown reasons a large number of members have neglected to pay dues and the consequence is a big delinquent list, leaving finances in bad shape.

A suggestion for an investigation as to the causes of indifference was voted down and finally it was decided to give delinquents one month to pay up or be dropped. As memberships were secured only by proposal and ballot, the club is rather an exclusive one and the dropping of delinquents will cause hard feelings and rupture many friendships.

The real cause of the trouble seems to be that the club enjoyed two seasons of prosperity and flushed with hopes of the future plunged into extravagant quarters and furnishings adding many features the expense of which depleted the treasury and imposed burdens which some of the members resented and lost interest, allowing their dues to lapse.

BOY SOLDIERS.

Capt. L. A. Paine, commanding Company H, Seventh Regiment, N. G. C., was in conference today with Supt. J. D. Graham of the public schools relative to the organization of cadet corps in the High School. It is understood Prof. Graham favors the proposition.

There are 100 or more boys in the high school and Capt. Paine thinks the military training and discipline would add to the High school's efficiency. He is an enthusiast in military matters and willing to devote the time necessary to develop the corps into a crack military company.

CAUGHT HIS HAND.

George Leavitt of Los Angeles, chief draftsman of the Santa Fé, came to the beach to fish this morning, but his first cast ended his day's sport, the big hook on his line hooking into the back of his right hand, penetrating to the palm and sticking out between his fingers. A physician cut out the hook and Leavitt went back to Los Angeles.

LONG BEACH NOTES.

While doing her family washing yesterday, Mrs. Mary Harding of Hynes ran a needle into her hand and down toward the wrist. A surgical operation was found necessary to remove it, the victim standing the painful cutting very bravely.

Extensive plans have been made by the local Ohio Society for the entertainment tomorrow of 1500 former Buckeyes from all parts of Southern California, who will be here for an old-fashioned Ohio picnic. The address of welcome will be made by Rev. E. W. Thornton of the First Christian Church. There will be music, games, sports, speeches and a general good time.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas of No. 1628 East First street received a telegram today announcing the death of her brother, George Pennebaker, a fireman who was overcome by gas fumes fighting a fire in Fresno this morning.

Work has been resumed on the construction of the Pacific Wharf and Storage Company's bulkhead at West Long Beach. Four of the flat cars which went over a few weeks ago have been replaced on the rails, the gap is trestled over and thirty-five men are working where the accident happened.

Jesse Swim, 65 years of age, died this morning after a long illness. Deceased came here from Riverside about twelve years ago and was in business until failing health compelled his retirement.

Postmaster Hirsch has received instructions from Washington that a second rural route out of Long Beach has been mapped, serving 400 families, and if three-fourths of these will provide mail boxes the route will be established, relieving the present carrier of a portion of his twenty-two miles of territory required to be covered daily.

INJURED BY PET.

Little Girl Thrown from Horse and Arm Is Broken; Companion Escapes.

GLENDALE, Sept. 6.—While riding her horse on Fourth street, near Brand boulevard, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, little Rachel McClure, daughter of the editor of the Valley Independent, met with an accident, as a result of which she is lying in her mother's home with a broken arm and several painful bruises. Theresa Armstrong, who was with her, received a bad shaking up, but was not seriously hurt.

The children turned off the boulevard on horseback, and as they started up Fourth street the horse balked, then reared. The child lost all control of the animal, and was thrown to the ground with her companion. Mrs. C. R. Russell, who was passing, took the injured child in her carriage to her home.

Mrs. McClure was away, and returned to find that Dr. A. Z. Bryant had set the broken bones. Little Rachel is popular and much loved in the community. The animal is a great pet, and it was supposed the child was perfectly safe with him.

Venice villas, reasonable rates. Go to Coronado for big tuna.

BAND BANQUET.

AVALON, Sept. 6.—The first annual banquet tendered the Catalina Marine Band by the Santa Catalina Island Company was held in the Metropole Hotel this evening, at which Hancock Banning presided. The banquet began after the evening concert, at 10:45 o'clock. About thirty members of the band, with their wives, were the guests. Manager Porter replied to the welcome given by Mr. Banning.

Opening of the New Townsite of Corcoran, September 9th, 1907.
One of the finest beet sugar factories in the State, now being built there by the Pacific Sugar Corporation.
Big profits made in other beet-sugar towns. Investigate now.
Special excursion train leaves Los Angeles September 8, about 7 p.m. Reduced fare.
Security Land and Loan Company, owners of townsite and lands adjoining, 357 S. Spring.

APPROVE HARBOR PLANS.

Government Officers Praise Proposed Undertaking at Venice and Investigate Site of Slips.

VENICE, Sept. 6.—"The harbor plans at Venice are among the best we have ever seen, and when consummated will prove to be the greatest public improvement that has been made on this bay. We have gone over the plans and proposed site carefully, and think they are superb."

These are the expressed views of Capt. Amos A. Fries of the United States Engineering Department, and Capt. Perkins of the United States Navy Department, who made a minute investigation of the proposed plans for a free harbor at Venice, spending several hours in a launch, taking soundings, etc. The officers took complete copies of every detail of the plan, together with the plans and specifications prepared by the Kinney Company.

The improvement, it is estimated, will cost about $2,000,000. This includes fourteen slips, where vessels and steamers of large tonnage can enter, and a wharf and breakwater complete. The improvement is regarded as of great commercial value to Southern California, particularly to Los Angeles county. The recognition the plan and site have received from the government is encouraging to the people of the Santa Monica Bay, especially, and its construction seems assured.

HONOR "SUNSHINE PREACHER."

Miss Mabelle Biggart, the "Sunshine Preacher," was given a farewell picnic in the beautiful pepper groves on the Soldiers' Home grounds yesterday afternoon by the members of the Venice of America and the Sawtelle Sunshine clubs, of which she was the founder. A luncheon was served on the campus. Miss Biggart, who left tonight for Santa Barbara, San Francisco and Goldfield, then East, outlined her work for a transcontinental tour in the interest of a Sunshine temple for the Crescent Bay.

FOR CLUB HOUSE.

Thursday Afternoon Club Appoints Incorporation Committee—Tropico Prize-Winners.

TROPICO, Sept. 6.—An enthusiastic meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Club was held at the residence of Mrs. Wesley H. Bullis yesterday, relative to the erection of a handsome clubhouse and library building, to cost $1500. The proposition made by Hon. W. C. B. Richardson regarding the lots, plans of structure and purposes of building were unanimously accepted. Mrs. A. W. Collins, president of the club, appointed an incorporation committee, composed of Mrs. Wesley H. Bullis, Mrs. E. J. Morgan, Mrs. F. C. Richardson, Mrs. Charles Peckham, with Mrs. A. W. Collins as chairman.

PRIZE WINNERS.

Three of the prize winners at the Venice bench show were from kennels at Tropico, and represent a few of the high-bred canines raised here. Worth Bancroft's Lady Don, a handsome Irish setter, has been awarded first prize at every bench show at which she has been exhibited throughout the country. At Venice Lady Don received first prize, and Ireland Blarney, another fine setter belonging to Mr. Bancroft, received second prize. Clay Seaman entered a fine high-bred bulldog, Golden Scepter, which received third prize. Golden Scepter took prizes at the Los Angeles and Pasadena bench shows.

Plenty tuna at Coronado Beach. Venice villas, reasonable rates.

POMONA PARAGRAPHS.

POMONA, Sept. 6.—Since the sale of the Hotel Palomares property to a syndicate, a party from out of town has been endeavoring to secure an option on the block of land opposite the hotel now owned by the Loop Estate and Dr. F. D. Crank, and occupied by their residences, as a site for a large high-class apartment-house, it being the plan to erect such a building around an inner court. There is no large apartment-house here and it is thought there will be a good demand by tenants for such a structure. Houses to rent are scarcer here now than ever before.

Rev. George E. Soper will leave soon for a vacation trip to the East, going via Portland, Or., where he will occupy the pulpit of the First Congregational Church for two Sundays. He will attend the triennial sessions of the National Council of Congregational churches to be held in Cleveland, O.

The annual meeting of the Pomona Fruit Growers' Association was held yesterday at the packing-house, and was largely attended. The reports of the officers showed a highly successful season and the association indorsed the plans for the erection of a $10,000 packing-house and pre-cooling plant on East First street. H. J. Nichols, J. G. Robertson, J. H. Graber, D. A. Hawk, J. M. Mitchell, F. J. Smith and N. P. Johnson, were elected directors.

Venice villas are convenient.

SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Sept. 6.—The Board of Education has accepted the resignation of Miss Mary C. Reeves, and Miss Bertha Steffen has been chosen to fill the vacancy. Constable Steve Jackson was reelected truant officer at a salary of $35 a month. Thirty commercial desks with oak tops have been ordered for the High School.

Councilmen Miles and Dow attended the meeting of the Irwin Heights Improvement Association last night, to hear about the needs of that portion of Santa Monica. It was made clear to the Councilmen that there was a lack of lights in that section and they promised to use their influence to secure them.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frances A. Hayden, widow of Hon. Charles A. Hayden, and one of the few woman lawyers in the city, returned yesterday from an extended trip in the East.

W. D. Curtis, president of the Curtis-Newhall Company, returned from the north yesterday.

WOMAN SHOOTS HERSELF.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 6.—Fearing that she might be losing her mind, and worrying over ill health, Mrs. Helen F. Kimball, of National City, committed suicide this afternoon by shooting herself through the head. She left several notes relating to the disposal of her effects. She was the widow of the late Charles Kimball and sister-in-law of Warren and Frank Kimball. She lived alone.

Low Rates Admission Day.
The Southern Pacific will sell on September 7, 8 and 9, excursion tickets to points in Southern California, between Los Angeles and Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino and Santa Ana, including branch lines, at one fare for round trip. To all other points in California, one fare and one-third for round trip, where the one-way rate is not more than $20. Under this arrangement, round-trip on "Inside Track" to Redlands and Riverside is only $2.65. Riverside and San Bernardino, $2.15; Santa Barbara, $4.20. Tickets are good to return until September 10. Further information may be had at the City Office, 600 S. Spring street, corner Sixth, or at Arcade Depot, Los Angeles.
REDUCED rates to Yosemite. 600 S. Spring.

DESERT GOLD UNCOVERED.

Prospectors Flock to Ord Mountains After Rich Strike.

SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 6.—A rich strike is reported to have been made on the Hasson brothers' property, twelve miles south of Daggett, in the Ord Mountains. Great excitement prevails at Daggett, and prospectors are flocking in from all directions. Joseph McCue wires from there that gold ore running $1572 per ton has been encountered on a six-foot ledge, and that a parallel ledge, three feet in width, is turning out $500 ore.

The property is owned by Hasson brothers, of Los Angeles, who have been summoned to the property by Superintendent Logan. He states that the shaft is down 240 feet, that the strike was in a drift made for a distance of fifty feet at the 165-foot level. The property was bought some time ago of W. E. Steadman, a well-known mining man.

BOLD FOOTPADS.

Enter Saloon and Rob Lone Man Found There—Reports Outrage to Police.

Joe Nolan, a laborer, reported to the police that he was knocked down and robbed in a saloon on San Fernando street near Ord street last night by two masked men. The robbers secured $15 in cash and a gold watch. The police have no clew to the identity of the footpads.

Nolan told the police that he went to the saloon early in the evening. He met an acquaintance and they had several drinks together, in the restaurant at the rear of the saloon. Nolan claims that he fell asleep and when he awoke he found himself alone.

As Nolan was about to leave the room he saw two men enter. They wore handkerchiefs over the lower part of their faces and one had a revolver. Covering Nolan with the gun the first highwayman ordered him to hold up his hands. Nolan resisted and was knocked down. The other man searched him and took his money while in a daze. When Nolan complained to the bartender after he recovered, the saloon man laughed at him and told him that he was drunk.

Nolan's friend told the police Nolan had a considerable sum of money on his person.

DIES OF WOUND.

Death of Alvarez Early This Morning from Bullet Fired by Jealous Lover.

B. Alvarez died at the County Hospital this morning at 1 o'clock from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted by Frederic Rebolledo.

Rebolledo shot Alvarez, Valentine Avilla and J. Sanches in a rooming-house at No. 419½ North Main street Saturday night. Rebolledo became angered at Avilla because the latter ejected him from the room of Mrs. S. F. Ives. He secured a revolver and fired five shots at Avilla.

Sanchez and Alvarez were not implicated in the trouble, but were both seriously injured.

WOMAN POISONED.

Laura Logan was sent to the Receiving Hospital last night from a rooming-house at No. 315 New High street, suffering from mercury poisoning. The woman is said to have taken bichloride of mercury by mistake. She will recover.

MORE OIL INDICTMENTS.

JAMESTOWN (N. Y.) Sept. 6.—The Federal grand jury this afternoon returned an additional indictment against the Pennsylvania and New York Central Railroad, the Standard Oil Company and Vacuum Oil Company of Rochester, N. Y. Each indictment contains fifty-eight counts.

Admission Day Excursion Rates.
Via Salt Lake Route, will be one-way fare for round trip between all stations, Los Angeles to San Bernardino, inclusive. Coast only $1.75 to San Bernardino, where Native Sons and Daughters will celebrate. Same rate to Riverside $1.20 to Ontario, $1.05 to Pomona. On sale Sept. 7, 8 and 9, returning until the 10th.
Tickets at City Office, 601 S. Spring st. and station, east end of First-street bridge.
If You Want to Go East C. Haydock, Agent Illinois Central R.R., 113 West Sixth.
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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

INGRATITUDE.

REVENGE FOR FORGIVENESS.

LATER ACT OF MAN SAVED BY HIS EMPLOYER.

Confessed for Forging Check and Again Given Work, Is Arrested on Charge of Attempting to Rob Benefactor—This Wedding a Surprise—Banks Can Attend.

SANTA BARBARA, Sept. 6.—Forgiven by his employer after he had forged the latter's name on a check some months ago, John D. Lee, 26 years old, and married, struck the hand that befriended him by attempting to break into his employer's paint store yesterday. He was caught in the act by Policeman Floyd Stewart and landed in Police Headquarters on a charge of petit burglary, and this afternoon he was put before Police Judge Wells, who held the young man for trial.

Lee was working as a clerk in the paint store of H. L. Brandes on State street some months ago, when he got out of town and was arrested in Los Angeles upon the complaint of Brandes, who charged forgery. Lee's wife interceded for him and Brandes finally withdrew his charge but took the young man back in his employ.

Two weeks ago a paint shop belonging to Mr. Brandes, and located on De la Guerra street, was burned to the ground. The origin of the fire was learned.

Some time after midnight Stewart noticed a man acting suspiciously in the rear door of Brandes's place, on Hill Square. It was directly under the glare of the electric light within a few steps of Police Headquarters. The man fumbled with the door and then deliberately smashed a pane of glass in the door, as though to get at the key on the inside of the door. The smash of glass scared the man and he ran into the adjoining back yard, where he was corraled by Stewart.

It is denied that he had intended to rob Brandes's place, but declared that he sought "wanted revenge." He did not satisfactorily explain why he wished to be revenged upon his employer and the charge of attempted burglary was filed against him.

SURPRISE WEDDING.

Miss Charles E. Phoenix, managing editor of the Gutierres Pharmacy store left for San Luis Obispo, several days ago, he neglected to state that he was filled with matrimonial intentions. Not a word did he breathe to his friends that he was about to become a Benedict. So, when news came to this town that "Charlie" had secured a license to wed in San Luis Obispo and had been married Tuesday evening, there was much surprise.

The bride is 25 years old and handsome. The bride is Miss Cliffe A. Brown, formerly of Kansas, but recently a resident of Los Angeles. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown of Arroyo Grande and is 23 years old.

The wedding was performed in Arroyo Grande at the home of the bride's parents. The couple are now on their honeymoon and it is likely that there will be a surprise in store for their friends here on their return to this city to make up their residence.

SANTA BARBARA NOTES.

The fourth annual convention of the Southern California Spiritualists' Association will open here last evening with a banquet to the 200 or more delegates at the Hotel Marcos Hotel. Today the business sessions of the convention was held in Channel City Hall. In the evening was a musical and literary entertainment succeeded by dancing. Tuesday will also be devoted to business matters until evening. Sunday there will be a big meeting at the Plaza.

Carpinteria is to be the scene of the Odd Fellows' dedication next week with a programme that will last all the morning and extend well into the night. It's all to be over the dedication of the new Odd Fellows' hall, a fine building and worthy the occasion. There will be an address of the brethren, an oration, music, concert, dinner, and dancing, to conclude with a late lunch and supper.

Dr. Dolphin M. Delmas, who married Louie Glass in his recent visit to the city of San Francisco Superior Judge Henry C. McPike, also a prominent counsel, stopped at the Potter yesterday, on their way to Del Monte. They refused to discuss the case further than to say that the defendant was innocent of the charge and that an appeal would be taken.

Miss Ruth Moore, daughter of Mrs. Ellis P. Moore of Winchester, became the bride, yesterday, of William Edrington, who is a resident of the Goleta district. The ceremony was performed under a bower of oak trees by the Rev. Mr. Hall, an old friend of the family.

The board, at its meeting yesterday, made changes in modifying the specifications for the repairs to the Boulevard bulkhead, allowing the use of pine instead of redwood. It was also directed that the final payment on the contract be submitted at the next session. Two petitions asking for amendments to the city charter, including the initiative, referendum and recall and for the abolishment of a board of public works, were also submitted to the board. The contract for the paving of Ocean street was let to the San Pedro Paving and Grading company.

Tennis matches at Coronado.

RIALTO.

RIALTO, Sept. 6.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Orange-Belt Fruit association, a contract was let to Hall of Bloomington, for the erection and enlargement of the packing house. It will be 70x140 feet, with basement underneath for box-making, and storing of fruit and paper. When equipped it will carry the improvement at an outlay of about $6000. The board has refused $12,500 for the Lamb ranch.

Rev. Mr. Lash, pastor of the Congregational Church, left with his wife for Morris, Minn., having received telling of the accidental drowning there of Mrs. Lash's brother in a lake while hunting.

The 9-months' old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas was severely burned on the feet by kicking a pot of hot tea while in his mother's arms.

Tennis matches at Coronado.

NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT.

MAKING MERRY AMONG PINES.

MASQUERADE DANCE PLEASES AT IDYLLWILD.

Great Variety of Costumes Shown and Prizes Awarded—Society in Mountain Resort Attends Brilliant Function—Receptions and Rides the Order of the Day.

IDYLLWILD, Sept. 6.—The event of chief interest at Idyllwild the past week was the masquerade dance of Saturday evening which was largely attended and proved a decidedly merry affair. Some very amusing and clever costumes were worn and all entered into the spirit of the affair and zest. Mr. Westover, Miss Parsons and Mrs. Palmerston-White acted as judges and found it hard to decide the awards as so many excellent costumes were noted.

The first prize awarded for the best disguise, either man or woman, was won by Miss Katherine Graves of Alhambra, whose boy's riding suit made of her a very captivating little figure. Miss Grace Tower of Pasadena, won the second prize for the best woman's costume, she being arrayed as Portia with crimson cap and gown, while Dr. F. C. E. Mattison of Pasadena, captured the third prize for the best man's costume, that of Buster Brown. Harold English, as a coquettish ballet dancer in mosquito netting and strawberry blonde wig, won the prize for the most ridiculous costume, and Mrs. F. O. Engstrum won honors as having the costume most readily identified.

The grand march was led by Frederick T. Griffith of Los Angeles, in the slowly disintegrating rig of a tramp, and Miss Gertrude King, whose clever make-up was that of a circus clown. Other costumes were as follows: Mrs. F. T. Griffith, Mrs. Ivy Gaylord, sleeping beauties; Miss Anita Brown, Japanese girl; Ralph Newcomb, Death; Jim Sheppherd, Grant Morris, ghosts; Adelaide Dow, Margaret Griffith, pajama girls; Miss Bessie Mattison, widow; Miss Harriet Judd, the Darling of the Gods; Miss Serena Bland, French maid; Miss Mabel Newton, Buster Brown; Miss Case, Japanese maid; J. N. Russell, chef; Mrs. F. G. Bland, Roumanian peasant; Mrs. F. O. Engstrum, tennis girl; F. O. Engstrum, chauffeur; Roy Bothwell, country lass; Wilber Dow, negro jockey; Miss Elsa Rust, white domino; Ernest Hewitt, cowboy; Miss Katherine Cook, Spanish Senorita; Archie Macleish, Society belle; John Russell, "monkey faced kid;" Selwyn Graves, Indian chief.

A large number of people who did not mask came up for the evening, and after unmasking a number of others participated in the dance.

One of the most charming al fresco affairs of the season was the green room party given by Mrs. Flora Goodall Bland and Mrs. Charles Green of Pasadena, as a farewell for Mrs. Richard Luckey of Pasadena, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Green, for several weeks. The affair was held in a wonderful tree-surrounded room by the brookside and the use of bright Japanese parasols, lanterns and Indian rugs and gay cushions transformed the place into a delightful retreat. An unusually fine rattlesnake skin was awarded Miss Roth for her proficiency in stabbing peanuts with a hat pin, while Miss Katherine Cook, with whom she was obliged to cut for first honors, was given second prize, a large photograph of the bungalow. Miss Gertrude King, who cut with Miss Alice Parsons for consolation, won the trophy, a box of marshmallows, the score cards were done in grotesque gargoyle heads, the work of Miss Serena Bland, and score was kept by tying peanuts to the cards. After the games chocolate and coffee were served, Miss Judd and Miss Bland assisting the hostesses. A number of men guests came in later for refreshments. The guests included Mesdames W. N. Friesner, Palmerston-White, Brooks, F. T. Griffith, J. A. Graves, Ray Gaylord, Wilber O. Dow, Walters, Morris, Jim Sheppherd, Rust, Misses Gertrude King, Katherine Graves, Elsa Rust, Bessie Mattison, Grace Tower, Katherine Cook, Mabel Newton, Serena Bland, Harriet Judd, Parsons, Alice Parsons, Laura Lewis.

Tuesday a large party of thirty rode over to Keen's camp and the Johnson ranch, where roping of steers, races and a barbecue were enjoyed. Those going included: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Abdill, Mmes. Ivy Gaylord, F. T. Griffith, Flora Goodall Bland, Jim Sheppherd, Frank Brooks; Misses Newton, Bland, Judd, Tower, Atherton, King, Graves, Roth, Lewis, Wachter, Stetson, Mattison, Brooks; Messrs. Archie Macleish, Harold English, Roy Bothwell, Barlow, Helvirkus, Dr. F. C. E. Mattison, Radir, Ernest Hewitt, Selwyn Graves and Sheppherd.

Venice villas are convenient.

WANT A FRANCHISE.

Los Angeles Men Would Build Electric Line in Ventura—Ask Heavy Damages.

VENTURA, Sept. 6.—F. M. Packard, a real estate man of Los Angeles, and J. P. Jones, also of that city, have applied to the Board of Supervisors for a franchise to construct an electric railroad between this town and Nordhoff, sixteen miles north of this city, in the beautiful Ojai Valley, a noted health resort. They say they have the money behind them to build the road.

Several years ago a right of way was secured to build an electric road between the two towns, and a liberal bonus was given by the people along the way, but Capt. Cross stepped in and completed the road, not as an electric line, but a steam road, and when it was completed, turned it over to the Southern Pacific, ever since which time the people have been "cussing" the line without stint, and have even been compelled to get their mails by wagon because of the unreasonable and unusual hours at which the one train is run. An electric road into the valley would be a boon to the people, and would pay.

SUE WALNUT GROWERS.

Suits have been entered against a number of walnut growers of this section by the Anderson-Barngrower Company for damages for infringement on patents for bleaching walnuts claimed by plaintiffs. There were three suits filed, one against the Santa Paula Walnut Growers' Association, including Messrs. C. Thorpe, C. C. Teague, G. W. Faulkner, W. Seeley, T. S. Vance, William O'Hara, J. H. McCutcheon, J. H. Orcutt and E. P. Sanborn, for $20,000.

The suit against the Oxnard association is for $15,000, and the defendants are G. W. Parnell, P. R. Edmundson, H. K. Snow, Jr., J. W. Smith, T. A. Rice, P. S. Carr and L. J. Rose. The suit against the Saticoy association claims $25,000 as damages, against the following growers: J. M. Dickerson, L. B. Hogue, H. C. Henderson, G. W. Faulkner, J. G. Ricker, R. H. Olmstead, Fred Richardson, J. M. Sharp, E. P. Sanborn and John D. Kelsey.

The plaintiffs won their suit of the same character against the Fullerton walnut men, but the Venturans will, it is understood, retain counsel and fight it out.

VENTURA NOTES.

Assessor Barry and wife have gone to San José for a visit with a brother of Mr. Barry, who resides there. The Assessor will represent the Ventura County Pioneers at the pioneer convention to be held at San José.

The marriage of Frank M. Daly and Miss Genrose McGonible, a well-known young couple, took place yesterday at the old Mission church in this city, Rev. Father O'Neil officiating. The old church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, W. P. McGonigle. She was dressed in a navy-blue tailor-made suit. The bridesmaid, Miss Cecelia McGonigle, sister of the bride, was attired in a coat suit and hat of brown. The best man for the occasion was George L. Daly, brother of the groom. Following the service a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents. After breakfast the young couple took a north-bound train on their honeymoon.

Bids have been received by the Supervisors for the building of the joint county bridge over Rincon Creek, in the Casitas Pass, where this county borders on Santa Barbara county. The bids were: Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company, $3347; Hobson Bros., $3200; M. E. Isham $3000, and George Nowak, $2988. The board took the matter under advisement until the Supervisors of Santa Barbara are communicated with.

Lima-bean cutting is now on in full blast all over this county. The beans back from the coast and in the Moorpark and Camarillo sections are already cut. The outlook for a good yield continues good, and those who know estimate the crop will reach that of last year, which had a record of nearly 700,000 sacks. This figure is regarded as too high by other growers, who think the yield will no more than reach 600,000 sacks. The latter base their estimate on spotted conditions, but these bad spots, it is thought, will be more than offset by the increased acreage and the better yield of the county generally.

G. Beronio, who ran a "blind pig" here for years, and who was arrested and fined, finally concluded to be good and take out a license, but he has been disappointed. Last night he was refused a license by the Board of City Trustees by a vote of three to two.

DOUBLE CELEBRATION.

Fifty-third Wedding Anniversaries of Two Couples Held at Same Time and Together.

CROFTONVILLE, Sept. 6.—An exceedingly interesting celebration was held at the home of L. E. Atwater, Eleventh and Pine streets, Riverside, on Thursday afteronon last week. The occasion was the fifty-third wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Peret F. Siebenthal, the parents of Mrs. Atwater. Though past 70 years of age, the couple are hearty and active, and Mrs. Siebenthal received many compliments on her charming and youthful appearance.

The guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. George McMahill, who were also celebrating the fifty-third anniversary of their wedding. Fifty-three years ago the two couples, though unacquainted, were married at the same hour of the same day and month, in neighboring States; the Siebenthals in Indiana, and the McMahills in Illinois, and they were destined, in later years, to become close neighbors and friends in California.

The reception rooms were handsomely decorated with goldenrod, and dainty refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch were served. A table was well filled with pretty and useful articles, showing the love and esteem in which the couple are held by their many friends.

Among those present were Mmes. Haskell, Spaulding, Dow, Hagen, Scott, Dickey, Timmans, Shrimp, Goodhart, J. W. Overman, I. N. Overman, Hopkins, Lyman, Hell, Jessen, Wheeler, Guffin, Bush, Rowe, Graves, Kelsey, Cutts, and Messrs. Spaulding, Dow, B. Siebenthal, J. Siebenthal, Hopkins, Lyman, Hell, Jessen, Warner Cutts.

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EAGLE DANCE OF INDIANS.

Last Ceremony of Its Kind to Take Place at San Diego—Parade in Honor of New Road.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 6.—It is announced that the final ceremonies of the eagle dance of the Indians of the Mesa Grande reservation will take place at the home of A. S. Davis on September 14, 15 and 16. On September 16 it will be one year since the death of the last chief of the tribe, Cinon Duro. This will undoubtedly be the last ceremony of the kind that will ever be held by this tribe. Only a few of the old men understand the ceremony and these will soon be gathered to their fathers.

During the ceremony clothing will be burned, handsful of small coins thrown broadcast among the people and bolts of calico thrown away. A week ago the sacred eagle was removed from its cage and carried through the dance.

TONS OF ONYX.

The schooner Ramona D. has arrived from Lower California with 250 tons of onyx for the new Padrara Onyx Company. Five carloads will be sent to New York.

Col. D. C. Collier has been appointed chief marshal of the automobile and carriage parade tomorrow afternoon, this being part of the celebration in honor of the throwing of the first dirt in the grading of the Spreckels railroad to Yuma.

SANTA ANA.

SANTA ANA, Sept. 6.—Guy L. Duckworth will not appear in court in the suit for maintenance brought against him by his wife, Mary Edna Duckworth, daughter of ex-Mayor Cox of Pasadena. He has commissioned Attorney Richard Melrose to appear for him. Duckworth is in Hawaii. John Hartung, the receiver appointed in the case to collect $2000 alleged to be due Guy Duckworth and his wife, has reported to the court that he has turned the money over to H. C. Head, Mrs. Duckworth's attorney. The case will be an interesting one when it comes to trial.

Rafael Barrego was held for trial in the Superior Court today by Justice of the Peace Ed Smithwick on the charge of murdering Deputy Constable Juan Orosco at Los Alamitos. Dist.-Atty. S. M. Davis put only two witnesses on the stand, Ben Dominguez, who captured Barrego after he shot Orosco, and Dr. C. D. Ball, who performed the autopsy. Domingues saw Barrego as he waited outside the dance hall for the officer and saw him deliberately lift the revolver and fire. Barrego is held without bail.

Ramon Placentia is back in the County Jail after an absence of many months, his last visit there being for sixty days on a charge of stealing chickens. He was brought in last night by Officer Boynton. A brakeman on the Santa Fé found Placentia and another cholo in a boxcar of a freight from Los Angeles, and he locked the door on them until the officer arrived.

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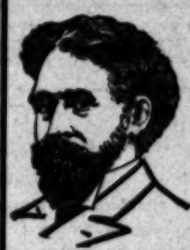

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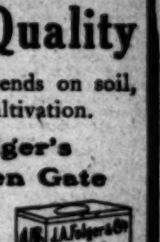

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Suggests Commission.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 5.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It has been with much interest that I have read the various communications in reply to your request for a clear-headed discussion of the Philippine question. The concensus of opinion seems to be to sell the Philippines. Would such a procedure be the right one? To my way of thinking, it would not be. Acknowledgment of failure to accomplish certain difficult things along proposed lines is permissible, and to my way of thinking, commendable, for nations as well as individuals.

The islands came to us without our seeking. We did not wish them, but were compelled to accept the burden. The civilized world is fully aware of this fact. We accepted the responsibility, though forced upon us, of trying to educate the people and bring them into lines of civilization, self-sustenance and self-government. We are trying to place them in position to manage and rule their own affairs. It seems that, practically, we have failed. There is assuredly no censure coming to us for having failed. No nation, however, single-handed, could have done more than we have done.

Now, would it not be better to ask for a conference with the five great powers of Europe, the purpose of which would be to place before them a clear-cut statement of our management of Philippine affairs. They are fully advised of what we have had to contend with, our intentions and our hopes and fears. They are advised fully as to our failure to accomplish much.

We might ask for the appointment of a commission, consisting of one representative from each of the five powers of Europe, to meet one from this country to discuss ways and means to handle—for the benefit of civilization—the Philippine question. Have it understood before hand that the commission agrees that, in course of time, this country be reimbursed for all moneys so far expended. Let that time be, if necessary, after such time as the Filipinos are able to manage their own affairs and pay it out of revenues derived from their own exertions.

Let this commission be in the nature of a suzeralnty, composed of the six great powers of the world. It should be within its province to see that the interests of this country, financial and otherwise, are absolutely protected; that the islands shall be forever an open market for the world's trade and commerce; that the islands shall be open only for Caucasian immigration and settlement.

With Japan annihilating Korea, dictating to China and undertaking to "bulldoze" the United States, we certainly should not, in any manner, throw the Philippines into her rapacious maw, either by sale or otherwise.

After this world commission is appointed and its attention and purposes known to all, let Japan settle her grievance, if she feels she has any, with the powers that agree and join with us in the undertaking. To my way of thinking, this is by far the best solution of the whole disagreeable affair, and the sooner it is undertaken and accomplished, the better it will be for this country, the Philippines and Europe, and the civilized world.

Yours truly, E. E. CRANDALL.

A Woman's Views.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 5.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In Saturday's issue was an article advocating the sale of the Philippines to Japan.

The writer seems to have forgotten that the war with Spain was indirectly brought about by sympathy of Americans for the downtrodden Cubans. There may have been many scheming politicians who wished to annex Cuba, but this was not the idea of the noble McKinley, who was slow to yield to the popular clamor for war. The Americans yearned for a fight, and took possession of the Philippines easily, as the islands were weak and unprepared. Yet such progress and prosperity have they made in less than a decade that it would be cruel to thrust them into oriental hands.

Even although they are a little expensive, should not this rich, great, powerful nation stand firmly by the primitive, child-like Filipinos for a few hundred years, till they are able to govern themselves?

Mistakes will be made, from time to time, but the United States might look for suggestions to the many successful British colonies, and, above all, send to the islands, not selfish, grasping souls, but such able, loyal, broad-minded men as Taft, Wright, Wood and others—those who would not only carry the "white man's burden," but also would establish American interests in Asiatic waters by such fair dealing that it would benefit the home land and also afford an inspiring example to Russia, China and the East Indies. LUCY P. NELSON.

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Let Filipinos Choose.

REDLANDS, Sept. 5.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The time has come, in my opinion, to let the Filipinos decide about their political allegiance. If they voluntarily decide to remain under our protection, then we should not shirk the responsibility, but if they choose to throw their lot with Japan or to try an independent government, we should not hinder them.

The Philippine Islands are strategically a weak point for our country; they invite attack, and, in a war with Japan, we would there be at a greater disadvantage than the Russians were in Manchuria.

As long as we hold the islands without the people's consent, we cannot depend on their loyalty. A war with Japan is called foolish talk, but yet its possibility should be reckoned with. In such an event, the Filipinos would side with Japan, and all the education which we have given them at great expense would be made to count against us.

The question arises: Are we ready and willing to sacrifice the life blood and health of our boys for the sake of having the opportunity of teaching those people self-government, and the English language? I believe that this nation is just as ready as any to make any kind of sacrifices to defend this country, but I do not think that our people would go heart and soul into a fight against a people struggling for independence.

To give voluntarily independence to the Filipinos will add to the moral prestige of the nation. Who can deny that in the eyes of the Filipinos our flag is not the emblem of liberty—no matter how much more personal liberty they enjoy under our rule. The time must come when we must give to the Filipinos political liberty or stand before the world as hypocrites. In the pages of history there are any number of cases when a smaller nation, which was overpowered, has heroically shaken off the yoke of the conquerer, but I cannot remember one when a nation has given voluntarily freedom to a weaker one. If we do so, it will brace up national pride and patriotism more than any victory in a war or any material prosperity. The present Philippine policy was never approved by a majority of the people. I think the American people, by a special act of Congress, should have a chance at the next election to vote on the Philippine question, without its being tied up to half a dozen other issues. MAX HENTSCHKE.

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The apiaries throughout the State were well supplied with bees and had it not been for the weather there would have been an enormous honey crop, other conditions being very favorable.

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"It is strange," remarked the producer, "that bees so wise in other things, as shown by their movements and industry, should be deceived by a few moments of sunshine, and venture out to succumb to the cold. But such is the case. When it is cloudy and chilly bees remain indoors, but the first ray of sunshine brings them out and they go to work, soon to become paralyzed and die when old Sol fails.

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CHAPTER VII.

THE HOUSE OF THE FIVE GABLES.

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"I came here once with little Lois Boriskoff—on a Bank holiday. It was not like this then. If Mr. Gessner is rich, why does he live in a place where people come to keep Bank holiday? I should have thought he would have got away from them."

"He is not able to get away. His business takes him into town every day—he goes by motor car and comes back at night to breathe pure air. Bank holidays do not occur every day, Mr. Kennedy. Fortunately for some of us they are but four a year."

"Of course, you don't like going among all those poor people, Mr. Geary. That's natural. I didn't until I had to, and then I found them much the same as the rest. You haven't any poor in Hampstead, I am told."

Mr. Geary fell into the trap all unsuspectingly.

"Thank heaven——" he began, and then checking himself clumsily, he added, "that is to say, we are comparatively well off as neighborhoods go. Our people are not idlers, however. Some of the foremost manufacturers in the country live in Hampstead."

"While their work people starve in Whitechapel. It's an odd world, isn't it, Mr. Geary—and I don't suppose we shall ever know much about it. If I had made a fortune by other people's work, I think I should like some of them to live in Hampstead too. But you see, I'm prejudiced."

Sidney Geary looked at the boy as though he had heard a heresy. To him the gospel of life meant a yearly dole of coals at Christmas and a bout of pleasant "charity organizations" during the winter months. He would as soon have questioned the social position of the Archbishop of Canterbury as have criticised the conduct and the acts of the manufacturers who supported his church so generously.

"I am afraid you have received some pernicious teaching down yonder," he said, with a shake of his abundant locks. "Mr. Gessner, I may tell you, has an abhorrence of socialism. If you wish to please him, avoid the topic."

"But I do not wish to please him—I do not even know him. And I'm not a Socialist, sir. If Mr. Gessner had ever lived in Whitechapel; if he had starved in a garret, he would understand me. I don't suppose it matters, though, whether he does or not, for we are hardly likely to discuss such things together."

"My dear lad, he has not sent for you for that, believe me. His conversation will be altogether of a different nature. Let me implore you to remember that he desires to be your benefactor—not your judge. There is no kinder heart, no more worthy gentleman in all London today than Richard Gessner. That much I know and my opportunities are unique."

Alban could make no reply to this; nor did he desire one. They had passed the Jack Straw's Castle by this time, and now the carriage entered a small circular drive upon the right-hand side of the road and drew up before a modern red-bricked mansion, by no means ostentatious or externally characteristic of the luxury for which its interior was famed. Just a trim garden surrounded the house and boasted trees sufficient to hide the picturesque gables from the eyes of the curious. There were stables in the northern wing and a great conservatory built out toward the south. Alban had but an instant to glance at the beautiful facade when a young butler opened the door to them and ushered them into a vast hall, paneled to the ceiling in oak and dimly lighted by Gothic windows of excellent stained glass. Here a silence, amazing in its profundity, permitted the very ticking of the clocks to be heard. All sounds from without, the hoot of the motors, the laughter of children, the grating voices of loafers on the Heath, were instantly shut out. An odor of flowers and fine shrubs permeated the apartment. The air was cool and clear as though it had passed through a lattice of ice.

"Please to wait one moment, Kennedy, and I will go to Mr. Gessner. He expects us and we shall not have long to wait. Is he not in the library, Fellows—ah, I thought he would be there."

The young butler said "Yes sir;" but Alban perceived that it was in a tone which implied some slight note of contempt. "That fellow," he thought, "would have kicked me into the street if I had called here yesterday—and his father, I suppose, kept a public-house or a fish shop." The reflection flattered his sense of ironyff and sitting negligently upon a broad settee, he studied the hall closely, its wonderful paneling, the magnificently-carved balustrades, the great organ up there in the gallery—and lastly the portraits. Alban liked subject pictures, and these masterpieces of Sargent and Luke Fildes did not make an instantaneous appeal to him. Indeed, he had cast but a brief glance upon the best of them before his eye fell upon a picture which brought the blood to his cheeks as though a hand had slapped them. It was the portrait of the supposed Polish girl whom he had seen upon the balcony of the house in St. James' Square—last night as he visited the caves.

Alban stared at the picture open-mouthed and so lost in amazement that all other interests of his visit were instantly lost to his memory. A hard dogmatic common-sense could make little of a coincidence so amazing. If he had wished to think that the unknown resembled little Lois Boriskoff—if he had wished so much last night, the portrait, seen in this dim light, flattered his desire amazingly. He knew however, that the resemblance was chiefly one of nationality; and in the same instant he remembered that he had been brought to the house of a Pole. Was it possible, might he dare to imagine that Paul Boriskoff's friendship had contrived this strange adventure. Some excitement possessed him at the thought, for his spirit had ever been adventurous. He could not but ask himself to whose house had he come then and for what ends? And why did he find a portrait of the Polish girl therein?

Alban's eyes were still fixed upon the picture when the young butler returned to summon him to the library. He was not a little ashamed to be found intent upon such an occupation, and he arose immediately and followed the man through a small conservatory, aglow with blooms, and so at once into the sanctum where the master of the house awaited him. Perfect in its way as the library was, Alban had no eyes for it in the presence of Richard Gessner, whom thus he met for the first time. Here, truly, he might forget even the accident of the portrait. For he stood face to face with a leader among men, and he was clever enough to recognize as much immediately.

Richard Gessner was at that time 53 years of age. A man of medium height, squarely built and of fine physique, he had the face rather of a substantial German than of the usually somewhat cadaverous Pole. A tousled black beard hid the jowl almost completely; the eyes were very clear and light blue in color; the head massive above the neck, but a little low at the forehead. Alban noticed how thin and fragile the white hand seemed as it rested upon a strip of blotting paper upon the writing table; the clothes, he thought, were little better than those worn by any foreman in Yarrow's works; the tie was absolutely shabby, and the watch chain nothing better than two lengths of black silk, with a seal to keep them together. And yet the mental power, the personal magnetism of Richard Gessner made itself felt almost before he had uttered a single word.

"Will you take a seat, Mr. Kennedy—I am dining in the city tonight and my time is brief. Mr. Geary, I think, has spoken to you of my intentions."

Alban looked the speaker frankly in the face and answered without hesitation:

"He has told me that you wish to employ me, sir."

"That I wish to employ you—yes, it is not good for us to be idle. But he has told you something more than that?"

"Indeed," the curate interrupted, "very much more, Mr. Gessner. I have told Kennedy that you are ready and willing to take an interest, the greatest possible interest, in his future."

The banker—for as such Richard Gessner was commonly known—received the interjection a little impatiently and, turning his back slightly, he fixed an earnest look upon Alban's face and watched him critically while he spoke.

"Mr. Kennedy," he said, "I never give my reasons. You enter this house to confer a personal obligation upon me. You will remain in that spirit. I cannot tell you tonight, I may be unable to tell you for many years why you have been chosen or what are the exact circumstances of our meeting. This, however, I may say—that you are fully entitled to the position I offer you and that it is just and right I should receive you here. You will for the present remain at Hampstead as one of my family. There will be many opportunities of talking over your future—but I wish you first to become accustomed to my ways and to this house, and to trouble your head with no speculations of the kind which I could not assist. I am much in the city, but Mr. Geary will take my place and you can speak to him as you would to me. He is my major domo, and needless to say I in him repose the most considerable confidence."

He turned again toward Mr. Geary and seemed anxious to atone for his momentary impatience. The voice in which he spoke was not unpleasant, and he used the English language with an accent which did not offend. Rare lapses into odd and unusual sentences betrayed him occasionally to the keen hearer, but Alban, in his desire to know the man and to understand him, made light of these.

"I am to remain in this house, sir—but why should I remain, what right have I to be here?" he asked very earnestly.

The banker waved the objection away a little petulantly.

"The right of every man who has a career offered to him. Be content with that since I am unable to tell you more."

"But, sir, I cannot be content. Why should I stay here as your guest when I do not know you at all?"

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